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THE DAILY MEALS OF SCHOOL CHILDREN



COMMISSIONER ELMER HILLSWORTH BROWN, recently recommended to the Secretary of the Interior for publication in the bulletin of the Bureau of Education, an article on the daily meals of school children, submitted by Miss Caroline La Hunt, formerly food director of the Wisconsin State Board of Education, and at one time head of the department of domestic economy in the Lewis Institute at Chicago.

In the monograph are set forth the various stages and discussions whereby the food of children may be chosen with reference to assisting education in general, as well as satisfying hunger; however, it is not to be regarded as a special plea for feeding them at public expense, nor for any other project or reform.

Among the many valuable ideas the following are taken:

The subject of the proper feeding of children of school age involves problems which may be said to be the most difficult, as well as the most important of all the problems of human nutrition. The child of school age must grow and must also work. In this he differs on the one hand from the infant, whose work is all that of him, and on the other hand from the adult, whose period of development is past. The work which is expected of him is not to be done at large in amount, but it must be done at certain prescribed times. It takes the form of the utilization of opportunities and privileges which have been provided for him at great public expense. It is costly to educate a child, and the cost may become waste if educational authorities are offered to those who are not benefited by proper feeding, or who are underfed and ill nourished.

The Great Problem

The problem as a whole involves the following questions:

First, the necessary supply of energy for bodily growth, second, the necessary supply of energy for play, third, the necessary clearance of the body for study.

Another element in the problem is the absence of any fixed standard, either for the amount of food needed by a child of given age, or for the relative proportion of the various so-called food principles in the diet. This makes the problem more difficult than that of the artificial feeding of infants, for which the composition of human milk offers an exact model. It may be that the fact that we have been slow to see the educational possibilities in school meals, and have questioned the wisdom of meeting any part of the expense from the public treasury, indicates that we ourselves have had incorrect ideas about food. If food were looked upon as a vital, connected with health and efficiency, instead of as a means of gratifying the palate, we should probably think more about the desirability of imparting mental and physical vigor to the next generation, and less about the possibility of pampering factors and motives in the process. We should probably value much more highly than we do the opportunities which the schools offer for teaching children the facts about the nutritive value of different foods and for training them in table manners. This is not intended in any way

as an argument for indiscriminate free feeding, but rather for the need of a different attitude of mind toward food itself in order that its relation to education may become more clearly defined.

Diet and Table Habits

We should expect the best answer to the question whether children can be educated in important matters relating to diet and table habits and whether it is desirable to serve food during the session, to be given by schools which are closest to the sources of educational ideals and which are comparatively free to put ideals into practice. In our public schools it is seldom possible for the educators to charge to carry out their highest ideals, because of the constant handicap imposed by lack of funds. Their standards are therefore likely to be underestimated.

Since this question is so important educationally and at the same time is not a purely educational matter, it offers a favorable occasion for co-operation between school authorities and organizations formed for the purpose of improving social conditions. The effort to devise an ideal school meal involves a careful examination of all our practices, to see which of them have a reasonable foundation and which involve an unpardonable waste of human resources and energy. There could be no better test of the expediency of a given form of living than its fitness to be made a subject of public instruction. We are likely to think of public school meals as a means of instructing the children of the poor in table manners, they might, however, be quite as valuable in accustoming the children of the rich to rational simplicity.

Purposes of Food

The consumption of food has two purposes. First, to build up and repair the body tissues, second, to supply the energy needed by the body in carrying on its vital processes and in muscular work. For the former purpose nitrogenous material is required, nitrogen being an essential constituent of the body cells. The essential constituents of food, the nitrogenous foods, or proteins, as they are commonly called, from which the body must obtain the nitrogen needed for the building up and repair of its cells. For the second purpose, that of furnishing energy to the body, the nitrogenous

foods, or proteins, are also useful, but since after a given point is reached in the amount of these foods supplied, the body finds difficulty in eliminating their waste products, it must depend largely for the supply of energy needed upon other forms of food, i. e., the so-called fuel foods. Chief among these are fats and sugars and starches, the last two being grouped together under the common term carbohydrates. Among the carbohydrates also belong cellulose, a substance abundant in fruits and vegetables, and dextrins, which are produced by the action of dry heat on starch, and are found in the crusts of bread and other places where the starch has been subjected to high temperatures. Of the fuel foods the one that is most easily absorbed is sugar, the one that remains the longest in the stomach is fat.

Protein Combinations

To secure a skillful combination of the proteins on the one hand and the fats and carbohydrates on the other, in such proportions as to provide the necessary material for the building and repair of the body and of energy for its work, and at the same time not to complicate the process of excretion, is one of the problems of dietetics.

What Not to Feed

First: Exclude from the child's diet all "made dishes," rich sauces, salads, and fats. Limit the fat to that secured from milk and eggs and from the butter and cream used at the table. If this course is followed there is little danger of serving too much fat. The importance of this injunction can not be overestimated. The objection to such food as pastry, fritters, escaloped dishes and rich salads are three: First, they introduce the most indigestible substances into the diet, heated fats and other foods thoroughly mixed with heated fats. Second, it is impossible to use such food without introducing much more fat than is thought best even by those who make liberal estimates. I have not uncommonly found the fat running up to twice the amount suggested by any student of dietetics as desirable in a bill of fare that seemed quite ordinary. This was due to the use of butter and other fats in cooking and of salad oil. Third, the use of complicated dishes makes it almost im-

possible to get even an approximate idea of the fat that is being served without long calculation, while with plain unadorned food materials the problem is quite simple.

Cooking of Eggs

Eggs should be poached or soft boiled rather than fried or served as omelets. If eggs are kept in hot water twenty to thirty minutes, the yolks become mealy and the whites are so soft that they are difficult to eat. If eggs are served as omelets or as toast or seasoned and spread on bread, the whites are much less digestible. If used, they should be chopped very fine. Chicken, preferably the white meat,

which has a short fiber, and these fish in which there is little fat mixed with the muscle fiber, like trout and whitefish, may be added to the dietary after milk and eggs.

Dried beans and peas are highly nutritious. If served with their skins, however, they are indigestible. Peas which preserve the more nutritious part and reject the skins may properly be given to children.

As to Desserts

If we use the word "sweets," instead of the word "dessert," we separate a class of foods like jams, stewed fruits, cookies, whose chief ingredient is sugar, and which constitute a very legitimate part of the child's diet if given at the right time, from pie, doughnuts and fritters, which contain a large per cent of cooked fat, and are therefore more difficult of digestion.

The amount of sugar in our typical menu is about seventeen pounds a year. This amount could probably be increased by half without injury, particularly if the fat were reduced. Seventeen pounds for a child of 6 to 8 years would correspond to thirty-four pounds for an adult. Perhaps the best way to regulate the sugar supply is to set a limit to the amount of sugar used in cooking for the family, thirty-four pounds a year for each grown person and a corresponding amount for the children, and then give each child one-half ounce daily in the form of sugar or pure candy.

Fruits and Vegetables

The importance of fruits and vegetables can not be overestimated. The fruits should be given first in the form of fruit

juices, scraped apple, and the pulp of baked apple. Later stewed fruits and thoroughly fresh ripe, but not over-ripe, raw fruit may be added. Fruits are a good food and invaluable in the cure of constipation. They should be thoroughly cooked in water alone, the sugar being added after the skins are soft. Bananas offer a great problem. They are usually half ripe and contain starch. They are therefore hardly fit to eat raw. Besides this, their consistency is such that they are likely to go into the stomach in large pieces. It is a wise mother who can succeed in eliminating them from her children's bill of fare, particularly in cases of weak digestion.

There is no doubt that safety lies in cooking most of the fruits that are served to young children. Of course, circumstances must be taken into consideration. To a healthy child with no tendency to intestinal disturbances raw fruits offer few dangers, particularly in weather and at times when there are no prevailing epidemics. If there is a tendency to looseness of the bowels, however, no raw fruit should be given.

The palatability of freshly cooked fruit is probably underestimated, partly because the fruit is often poorly prepared, and partly because it is associated in the thought with candy. Freshly cooked fruits—berries, peaches and pears, for example—are a neglected item of diet considering their safety, wholesomeness and palatability. They are, of course, as noted above, through being associated with canned fruits.

Figs and Dates

Figs and dates may be eaten raw, but they should always be carefully washed and then soaked in water to destroy any bacteria. There may be upon them, the heating immediately following the washing usually improves them by making them plump up and soften a trifle. Stewed figs and dates may be served with boiled rice for dessert.

The first vegetable to be given is baked potatoes. These may be served with salt alone or with milk or cream and salt. Later boiled or creamed potatoes may be given, but fried potatoes are unwholesome.

some. It is easier to tell what vegetables should be omitted than what ones should be given. The vegetables that are common, eaten raw—cabbage, carrots and radishes—are unsuitable for young children. Lettuce, if young and fresh, may be a valuable part of the diet of the child that can masticate well. Some physicians do not allow carrots, turnips or parsnips. Considering, however, the value of vegetables as food, it is perhaps more necessary to see that those which are served are fresh and thoroughly cooked and not served with rich sauces or fried than it is to try to avoid any special kinds.

Regular Meals

The time when the child begins to take three regular meals a day, it is his parents is the time when the question of eating between meals arises. It may be said that at the beginning of this period the child should be given a certain amount of nourishing food in the middle of the morning and the middle of the afternoon; later he should not be given food at these times, but should be permitted to "take it, if it is of the right kind. At no time should the food between meals be of a character to tempt the child to eat unless he is really hungry.

A cup of milk and some zwieback or hard crackers will do for a very young child.

Amount of Food

The zwieback alone should suffice for an older child. With a general idea of the amount of food required daily there need be no special effort to balance each meal. In general the simplest foods should be given at night. Bread, milk and simple sweets or plain cake make a good supper for little children. The most important parts of the breakfast are milk, cereal or toast, and fruit. The question arises with school children whether the heavy meal ought to be at noon or night. At no time the meal may interfere with the afternoon work, at night with sleep. It should be remembered that the heavy meal usually means the one which includes meat. The nourishment obtained by the grown person from meat is secured by the child from milk. This may be so distributed through the different meals that there need be no especially large meal.

Lunch Is Dinner

The lunch taken by older people with the addition of milk can be considered the dinner of the child. The support of the family and the regular dinner of the family and be very simple though nutritious. For school children a warm liquid dessert, such as custard, may be served with cocoa. Chocolate is too rich. The fact that fats remain longer in the stomach than other substances makes it particularly undesirable to serve fatty foods at noon if the child is to return soon to work.

The subject of table habits is to be seriously taken into consideration, because the child's mind is just beginning to understand the real significance of the pleasure of the table in the functions of digestion, as well as in the broader enjoyment of life. The physical element in digestion can not be overestimated. Fear, sorrow, anguish, nausea, may promptly check the flow of the digestive juices; while palatable tempting dishes and the pleasant atmosphere of the meal with a congenial environment, might be expected to aid the production of active digestive secretions. A scolding mother and a sensitive child make an unhealthy dining-room combination.

Some Very Interesting Stories and Instances of the Great Public Telephone

The principle of the telephone has been known for many centuries, the first idea of it in modern days being explained in a book published in 1609. Hook commenced to study the subject in 1861 and in 1867 he succeeded in transmitting sound by means of a diaphragm and a string. He was contented in 1871, and succeeded in conveying the sounds of a musical box from cellar to attic of his home. But it was only twenty years ago—to be exact, February 12, 1877—that the first public message was conveyed by the modern telephone. This was transmitted by its inventor, Prof. Bell, when experimenting in public for the first time between Boston and Salem, eighteen miles distant from each other. The late Mr. Bell, when postmaster general, sent the first public message over transmitted through the telephone between London and Paris. The message was spoken on March 10, 1891. The first message transmitted from the English side was the following: "And the Lord said My voice shall traverse continents, islands and seas. Thus have I promised it to My people forever." A brief conversation between the two monarchs, Queen Victoria and Mr. Jules Roche, French minister of posts and telegraphs, after which Mr. Bell communicated a message from the then Prince of Wales to Mr. Tarnot, the French president, and the first public message was conveyed by the telephone. The inventor subsequently told the story of his visit. He stood at a little table upon which was the machine, the queen opposite, Princess Beatrice on the side and her majesty's secretary on the other. The queen then told her secretary to ask me to explain the telephone. After doing so, Queen Victoria turned to speak to some one and as

the connection came I turned suddenly, and what do you suppose I did? You see, my wife is deaf and I am among deaf people so much that I forgot and patted her hand to attract her attention. "I really did—the queen of England and the emperor of India! Was she indignant? Oh, no! As she put her ear to the telephone she laughed. Whether it was the music over the wires or my little action I never knew."

Today the telephone is put to many novel uses. For instance, in 1902 a criminal was tried and condemned by means of the phone. Gaudio Lopez, a notorious colored housebreaker and burglar, was arrested in Tampico, Mexico, a distance of 200 miles from Victoria, the scene of his exploits. When the trial drew near the judge decided that as Victoria was outside

his circuit it would either be necessary for all the witnesses to take the journey or for the culprit to be returned there to await the local sessions. As this would necessitate a further delay of six months the Mexican government authorized the hearing of the evidence by telephone. In this manner the judge listened to one of the most remarkable histories of crime on record, which resulted in the prisoner receiving a sentence of ten years' penal servitude.

In diplomacy, too, the telephone has more than once played a prominent part, as was seen four or five years ago, when it was the means of bringing about a change in the presidency of Salvador. President Gutierrez had a powerful rival in Gen. Riquelme, the head of the army, and when the revolution broke out the latter telephoned to the palace demanding the president's abdication, as the army had already turned against him. What reply Gutierrez gave to this strange message is not on record, but he left the capital within an hour, never to return. In the same way, the Spanish fortress surrendered to the Cuban General Pablo Olivera at the outbreak of the late war in Cuba. When the general occupied the town adjoining the fortress he telephoned

through to the Spanish commander demanding immediate surrender on pain of bombardment. An hour's resistance was requested and granted, at the end of which Olivera was rung up and acquainted with the fact that the fortress, with 1000 men and thirty-two guns, was prepared to surrender unconditionally.

And over the telephone wires have come more than once the sounds of tragedies being enacted. Not long ago the news was cabled from New York that a lady resident of Wayne county, Iowa, was attacked in her home by a tramp. She reached the telephone before she was assaulted in time to call for help, and the central operator heard the tramp pull her from the telephone. He then established telephone connections with the nearest farmhouse, and the listeners, mostly women, heard the desperate struggle and despairing cries of the woman mingled with the tramp's oaths, and then silence. The woman who hastened to the lady's assistance at the first alarm arrived too late and found her lying unconscious and severely bound, but her assailant had escaped. Another case in point cropped up a few years ago in Hungary. The daughter of the postmaster of Maygar-Szereny was called to the public telephone when she heard the voice of her sweetheart, who from the town hall of Tabas telephoned her a warning message: "Would you like to hear how I shoot myself?" Scarcely were the words ended when the girl heard the sound of a shot; and subsequent inquiries revealed that the young man had killed himself in the manner he had indicated. And a while back a very clever and realistic little play was produced at a London theater in which the central idea was that the man with the telephone receiver at his ear listening to his wife being murdered in a room miles away—London Globe.

How Banks Are Guarded Against Frauds, Fakirs and Robbers

THE affable gentleman who hands you out notes or gold in exchange for your check is the mark of a sharps and swindlers of all descriptions. The possibilities offered by a successful fraud upon him are great and the risks on the whole are less than have to be faced in many other fields of crime.

Dodges innumerable have been worked for his especial benefit, but the very dangers of his calling make him wary, and he is not easily "hood." That favorite device of petty thieves, for example, called "ringing the changes," which so often deceives the shopman or the publican, seldom succeeds with him. He has a disconcerting habit of completing each payment as originally asked for, blandly ignoring any changes in detail until the end. Thus he makes each transaction complete in itself, and it is not easy to confuse him.

Bad money is seldom presented at a bank, unless undesignated, by those who have themselves been deceived. It is extraordinary how quickly a cashier can detect one bad coin among a number of good ones. The slightest difference in appearance, size, or even weight is often sufficient to catch his attention. It is not because he has had so much experience of bad coins, but because he is so accustomed to good ones, that he is quick in noticing the difference. Gold certificates are usually wrong in weight, while silver ones have often a suspiciously greasy appearance and ring badly.

A Swindle Worked by a Lady

Nevertheless, a simple swindle of a petty nature was successfully worked for some time at a certain bank where a number of tellers were employed. All of them in turn at intervals found themselves "planted" with a bright new farthing for a half-sovereign. The fraud had been worked by the handsome lady cashier of a big business firm. How far its success was due to the dazzling glances from her pretty eyes, and how far to the fact that she usually handed over the money at the busiest time of the day, and when possible in a bad light, it is hard to say.

Cashiers have sometimes to face the risk of robbery by fellow-officials. Though these cases are extremely rare a few years ago, however, a bank clerk left suddenly for America, under circumstances which his friends endeavored to hush up as much as possible. He had been detected in the act of fishing, with a string and bent pin, a bundle of notes out of a cashier's box during the latter's absence. A long term of imprisonment would have been a fitting reward for his traitorous act, but the bank where it occurred paid small salaries, and thought it advisable to let the offender go rather than face publicity. It is to be feared that banks which tempt their employees to crime in this manner are not exposed as often as might be wished.

Another Trick

Another case was where a cashier continually found himself short after balancing the day's transactions. Usually the deficiency was for small sums. It puzzled him for a long time, but eventually the mystery was solved by an accident. A clerk in the office was in the habit of handing him at work to him each day. The book was laid on the desk, where usually there were a number of loose coins lying about, was duly marked, and lifted up again. One day the clerk, in taking back the book, was not so cautious as usual, and the cashier caught

the glint of a coin adhering to the back of it. Struck by this defiance of the laws of gravity, he grasped the book, and found on it a small piece of wax, to which the coin was adhering, and now that clerk is numbered amongst the unemployed.

Another cashier recently lost £100 in a simple way. Paying out money rapidly to a large number of customers on a busy day, he found, when the crowd had melted away, a man whom he had already paid lingering. He asked what he wanted the man, who was an old soldier, sent to cash a check by a government department, said that he was waiting for 100 sovereigns, part of his check, which the cashier had not yet given him. The latter was under the impression that he had completed the payment, but the old soldier turned out his bag. It was not there, and as there was not the slightest doubt of his honesty, the cashier paid him another £100 bag of gold. At night he was £100 short, and is now paying it up by installments. Some smart individual in the crowd had annexed the amount while the old soldier was busy counting the earlier portion of his payment.

Dealing With Forged Cheques

Forgery is the terror of the bank

cashier, for it is difficult to detect, and may relieve him of a large sum at one blow. It must be remembered that every uncrossed check presented at the bank on which it is drawn must either be paid at once or a legal reason given for its non-payment. If a suspicious check is not paid, and turns out to be genuine, it may lose the bank a good account, or even involve it in an action at law. Thus it is easy to imagine that some awkward transactions arise at times. But there are devices for meeting most of them. A forged check usually presented by an innocent third party—a messenger for not paying the check, thus gaining time and allowing the drawer to be communicated with. If the check is presented by a guilty party any appearance of delay in payment, or remembrance of keen scrutiny, renders him uneasy. He makes some excuse about returning in a few minutes, and hurries off, dreading lest the detective having sent for the police, and so the cashier is left with a worthless piece of paper and a sense of danger escaped.—Tit-Bits.



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SCENE FROM "THE GENIUS" AT THE YELLMERS



KATHERINE
KLARET, SOPRANO
WITH LIBERATOR'S
BAND AT IDCRA
PARK

the quintette, composed of Zarad, Don
pet, Frascona, Guilhano and Therry in
the second act.

Mlle Lonna in the character of the
country sweetheart of Don Jose. Mich-
aela has a soprano voice of prime qual-
ity and warmth of color that places it
among the category of grand opera
voices.

Matthews and Ashley's "Hold Up."
Frank Conroy and George Le Maire and
their company of farceurs will again be
seen in the rattling comedy, "A King for
a Night."

After another week of big houses in "Classmates," which they offer for the last two times this afternoon and evening, the Bishop players at the Liberty Playhouse will present tomorrow evening Nat C. Gooden's best known comedy success, "Flower Genus," the piece which Gooden thought enough of to use for two consecutive seasons as a starring vehicle in presentations at the Liberty. Tomorrow night the Liberty management is doing so for the first time and will be popular sales and when it is recalled that Gooden's last months ago at \$2.00 a play has then been sold for \$1.00 a play, it will hardly be seen that the achievement is a notable one.

"The Nutcracker" will be the favorite opera of "Old Travlers" and will be reproduced with a slight cast of principals and will appear in the second and third week.

Mme. Norrill will sing the part of Leonora, and Sitars will sing the part of the old man, and Yvonne will sing the part of the girl.

Manlio, the boy, will be sung by Samoloff, and Count of Luna by Zerkow.

In the evening for a farewell performance of the company's appearance in Oakland, the second act of the bill will be presented.

The second act will be the famous sextette and the mad scene introduced by Mme. Norrill. The opera "Travlers" and second act of the bill of principals will take the entire evening and will be a most successful one.

Seats will be on sale tomorrow.

Extraordinary success is enjoyed by the Oakland Orpheum during these warm summer days, the crowds finding their way regularly, afternoon and evenings to the big Twelfth street playhouse where "advanced" vaudeville is always in evidence. The new show for the coming week has the sparkle of novelty throughout, and judging by appearances will be quite up to the high mark set during the last few months.

Manager W. A. Edwards will present the International Grand Opera Company, which was here last month and gave such phenomenal satisfaction, at the Macdonough Theater this week commencing on Thursday evening, August 26, for four performances.

On Thursday evening the Grand Opera of Rigoletto by Verdi. This is one of the most charming of his operas and is an example of the achievement of the last century. It will be presented with a full cast of artists. Miss G. Bell will be heard in the role of Gilda. She has a pure rich voice and can reach two notes beyond high C with positive ease. She will hold one's breath for surprise that the same voice can attain such clarity and volume.

Signor Bart, the famous tenor, sings the role of Duke of Mantua, which is said to be one of his best roles.

Miss G. Stange, whom the San Francisco press refers to as "Velvet Voiced American," will be heard in the role of Maddalena. Rigoletto, the title role, will be sung by Signor Arampoff. It is said is at his best in the character.

Other members of the company who will be heard are Otet, Frasnato, Giuliano and Kaplan. A large chorus is used in this ever popular opera and is headed by this organization.

The opera of "Carmen" will be presented and Mme. Thierry, who had a great reputation in France for the character of Carmen, will impersonate the title role. Mme. Thierry makes a charming Carmen.

Sig. Colombini is in the character of Don Jose, the impulsive and jealous soldier-lover leaves nothing to the imagination.

The picturesque Tornado, as Zaza presents him, is the real person himself. He shows that he is the possessor of an admirable voice of vibrant power and equality of tone throughout its compass. The attention of the auditors is called to the clean-cut and capital rendering of

The show that comes to the Bell Theater this week is one that includes all of those elements that have combined to make vaudeville the popular form of amusement and entertainment. It has been for the past several years. In the announcement of this strikingly attractive program, all lovers of the continuous will agree that it is indeed a banner bill.

Charles Mack, assisted by an exceptional cast of players will occupy the main attraction in this strong show. Mr. Mack has been the starring actor for four and begins his vaudeville tour, coming to his latest success, "Gent. Play to Erin," in tabloid form. No question but that what it will be received will be just what the public offering is one of the most successful attempts in vaudeville, every place scenery, stage accessories and electric light and sound. The production is so thorough that Mr. Mack, Ernest and Ernest who will perform some of the most astounding and daring feats ever known on the tight wire. The fact that the remarkable accomplishments are the work of the same man and his wife adds considerable sense and fun to the European novelty. Fun, fast and furious, to be supplied by Cogan & Banfield in their offering of "Fun on Roller Skis."

few farces are so full of fun as "Are You a Mason?" which will be the offering at the Broadway Theater for the week ending Monday night. It was originally intended to give "Mlle. Fifi," but a change was decided upon. "Mlle. Fifi" will probably be given at a later date. "Are You a Mason?" like "Charley's Aunt," causes a roar of laughter from

ORPHEUM—Advanced Vaudeville.
 YE LIBERTY—"The Genius."
 THE BELL—Vaudeville.
 THE BROADWAY—"Are You a Mason?"
 IDORA PARK—Signor Liberati and His Grand Opera Com-
 pany.

Amusement lovers who crave originality will find it to their hearts' content at Idora Park this week. Signor Liberator has brought to "the park" the beautiful one of "the most unique musical organization" which has yet entertained the thousands.

SEATTLE, Aug. 21.—Three hundred and seventy-five Californians daily think of it—that is the average registration of citizens from our State at our building at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific Exposition. No wonder THE TRIBUNE's social column has recorded of late the fact that "so many prominent people of the local set are pouring the northwest and visiting the fair," etc., and, indeed, the fair is well worth visiting and there are many points of interest to be seen in this part of the world.

The exposition is ideally located on a strip of land between two lakes, and the buildings are all artistic and beautiful.

Other interesting feature of our display, and it is really wonderful how the little folks have done in drawing manual training and the like.

Of course the United States Government building is intensely interesting and one should brush up on history before seeing this exhibit. There are lots of things that arouse our patriotism and interest and instruct in the Indian exhibit attracts considerable attention and is very good. Indeed, There are baskets made by Apaches, embroidery by Oklahoma Indians; wonderfully neat work done by Chemewa Indians of the school near Salem, Ore.; rugs made by Hopi and Navajo Indians, and Moqui pottery and plaques that would set a collector of such articles longing to possess them.

The California building is the largest State structure and is built on the mission style, and within its walls will be found—and I speak without vanity—the finest and most comprehensive exhibit of the whole fair. To pursue here our peerless fruits, arranged in most attractive fashion, and our mineral resources are not forgotten. A feature that calls forth such admiration from the general public is the art exhibit of our California artists.

There are among the many well-known artists represented Mrs. M. Leitch Pettis, Theodore Worres, Gordon Coutts, Alice Best, M. Hagen, and Maxie Morgan, Jorgensen and others, and an excellent Keramic exhibit contributed by Lucy Lamb, Mrs. Culp, Mrs. G. Dorn and many more.

These school children's work is an-

The Alaska exhibit is revelation. Such sets of ermine and mink furs, such chunks of gold and such Indian baskets, and, by the way, the baskets are for sale and are remarkably cheap.

"Aloha" is the greeting over the door of the Hawaiian building—and as we pass from one part to another of the island we are charmed with its beauty and surprised at the progress that is being made along many artistic and industrial lines the Hawaiian people are setting before the Americans. An interesting collection is that of some beautiful photographs showing the various types of people who live in the islands.

Many a Philippine building contains a whole day's ending. The forestry building, made largely of immense timbers, is not only an im-

CHICAGO.—Should a man devote Sundays to his wife? Mrs. Elma Louise Singleton argued in the affirmative; her husband, James Monroe Singleton, a bookkeeper answered in the negative, and this led to their estrangement. The wife obtained a divorce today.

"A wife tears home all week, keeps house, mends her husband's clothes, gets the meals and is lonesome, and it is his duty to stay home on Sundays," said Mrs. Singleton.

"A married man struggles all week to provide a home for his wife, and he should have his Sundays to himself," insisted Singleton.

"You are simply could not agree on that one question," the wife said today, "and that was the basis of our trouble."

During a performance at the National Theater, Murmabad, the curtain suddenly went down in the middle of an act. The manager presently explained that the curtain-raiser had received a telegram announcing that he had won £1800 in a lottery and had dropped the curtain in his excitement.

structure, but contains much of interest and is popular among the visitors to the fair.

The United States fisheries exhibit is crowded continually. In it are shown real live fish of all colors and sizes, swimming about in glass cases and looking as though they enjoyed the machine.

The machinery shown there is very fine, but as I don't know much about machinery I would not be wise to talk about it; however, the men stand here in awe for hours at a time, so it must be good.

There are ever so many other attractive exhibits that it would take ours to tell about.

The grounds are beautifully laid out and the view of mountain, lakes and this is wonderful and inspiring.

The attendance at the fair is good and it is remarkable that Californians are doing their part to make it successful. You don't know how good it was to see the home paper—THE TRIBUNE—here.

The Story of Lola Montez, the Daring Adventuress, Who Danced Before King Louis of Bavaria, Which Was the Cause of the Revolution That Resulted in the King Being Dethroned.

"Am I expected to see every strolling dancer?" asked the King. "Your pardon, sire," said the aide-de-camp, "this one is well worth seeing."

The curiosity of King Louis of Bavaria was aroused, and he granted the audience on a fatal October day, sixty years ago—when Lola Montez, dancer and adventuress, craved. Two days later the king declared, with royal frankness, to one of his ministers, "I know not how I am bewitched." At that time Lola Montez was twenty-eight—in the full zenith of her beauty and King Louis over sixty. The acquaintance thus commenced continued on terms wholly platonic.

Art and beauty, however, were, next to his kingdom what his majesty lived for, and Lola Montez excelled his admiration to such an extent that he would gaze for hours at her picture. And she repaid his adoration by causing a revolution, which ended in King Louis being driven from his throne.

A Dazzling Daredevil

What sort of woman was this Lola Montez? E. D. d'Auvergne, in his absorbing story of her career—"Lola Montez: An Adventure of the Forties" (Warner, Launce)—tells some sensational stories of the power of her beauty and her adventures in many lands. She had traveled in several European countries previous to her meeting with King Louis of Bavaria, bewitching men as much with her strength of character as by her soulful face and figure. She inspired the genius of Franz Liszt. She was the friend of Dumas and his contemporary geniuses of France. She could shoot, ride, and knew no fear. In Mr. d'Auvergne's own words, she was a "dazzling daredevil," and thought nothing of horse-whipping any man who insulted her.

Met the Rabble

On another occasion, "with incredible rashness and magnificent courage," she deliberately went out into the street to meet her enemies face to face. She was received with groans and insults. "Very well," she cried, "I will have the university closed." This haughty threat madened the crowd of students. A rush was made for her, and it was with the greatest difficulty that Lola was able to retreat into a neighboring church.

At this time Lola Montez was probably uncrowned Queen of Bavaria, and, though the majority of people were incensed against her, the dancer and adventuress really used her power for their benefit, for she succeeded, by advocating certain policies, in emancipating the country from its clerical oppressors.

"My Kingdom for Lol!"

The king raised her to the peerage with the titles of Countess of Landfeld and Baroness Rosenthal. She was made a Canoness of the aristocratic Order of St. Theresa, of which the Queen was the

head, and to enable her to support this dignity the King endowed her with an annuity of twenty thousand florins and ordered a palace to be built for her. Her portrait was painted by royal command and placed in the Gallery of Beauties.

Winning a place in the councils of the king, in spite of the strenuous opposition of ministers, this remarkable woman, for the best part of a year directed the fortunes of Bavaria. "I will not give up Lola," King Louis declared, when it came to a question of dismissing her or the old ministers, who refused to sign her papers for her resignation. "I will never give up that noble princely being my kingdom for Lola."

But there came a time when his majesty was put to the test—and failed. He carried out the threat which Lola had made in regard to the closing of the university, and signed a decree ordering all students not natives of the city to leave Munich within twenty-four hours.

In this act weakness the revolutionary party perceived a favorable opportunity to strike. "The king had yielded; the students were exultant and conscious of their strength. The townfolk were weary of this ceaseless conflict between the countess and her foes. Your good old-fashioned burglar cares nothing for the rights and wrongs of a public dispute, he wishes to be left in peace to turn a penny into three-halfpence, and to achieve that end he is ready to sacrifice the innocent as the guilty."

Escorted Across the Frontier

The next day Munich was in insurrection. "Students and citizens flew to arms and mustered in dense masses before the palace and in the squares, loudly demanding the expulsion of the Countess of Landfeld and the immediate reopening of the university. The situation, ministers thought, was critical. This king summoned a cabinet council, and was prevailed upon to accede to the demands of his insurgent subjects. He who had sworn before all the world that he would never give up Lola now signed a decree for her banishment from Munich."

And Lola was escorted across the frontier into Switzerland.

The Dethronement

This, however, was not the end of this amazing episode in the life of Lola Montez. The sequel came a month later, when the spirit of revolution spread from State to State, after the hurrying of the king of France from his throne. Real and imaginary grievances inflamed the populace of Munich, and the report circulated that the Countess of Landfeld had returned, the city brought matters to a climax.

To calm the tumult the king published a decree withdrawing the rights of citizenship from Lola, and forbidding her to enter his dominions. Growls and cries of derision followed. Lola announced his abdication, and in less than six weeks after the downfall of the king she was dethroned.

Such is the amazing story which Lola Montez, Countess of Landfeld, Baroness Rosenthal, the ruler of the Kingdom of Bavaria, who died in her forty-third year in an American sanitarium and lies buried in Greenwood cemetery, played in the great Bavarian crisis.

President Taft's Western Trip To Be Record One for Country's Head in Time and Scope



MAP SHOWING ROUTE OF PRESIDENT TAFT'S WESTERN TRIP.

PRESIDENT Taft's itinerary for his Western trip takes him right into the heart of the country represented by the men in his party who have steadily opposed the tariff bill which he signed recently. Senators Clapp and Nelson of Minnesota; Senator La Follette of Wisconsin; and Senators Doolittle and Cummins of Iowa will each have an opportunity to present President Taft to great gatherings of people who have been reading nothing but criticism of the revenue measure which, through the signature of the President, became a law.

While the President does not go into Indiana or Kansas, the territory of Senators Beveridge and Bristow, he has been liberal in making up his itinerary while in the States of Minnesota and Iowa, which have two Senators who opposed the bill. Here the President will, if necessary, defend the new tariff from the stump and lay down the issue between himself and the representatives which they have sent to Congress. Upon the result of this exposure and the speeches which Mr. Taft may make will depend much in the next campaign for the election of members of the House of Representatives.

Tariff Campaign

President Taft has not dodged the tariff issue. Having signed a bill which he believes is the best to be obtained under legislative conditions, he proposes to defend it in the regions where it has been most bitterly attacked. The early part of his trip will be a tariff campaign. When he gets farther westward he will turn to other topics, but in the Middle West the tariff will stand out prominently as the issue which he wishes to discuss with the people.

There are those who believe that the country will during the next two months be swept by a wave of sympathy for that opposition to the tariff law will be carried off its feet. This will make no difference with the President. Statements have been made which need to be answered and he has shortened his vacation, already curtailed by the tariff at its beginning, and will square the issue.

Time is so precious on the trip which the President will take, almost circling the United States, that some of the stops are limited to thirty minutes. Others, like those at Seattle, the Yosemite Valley, Grand Canyon and Corpus Christi, will be three or four days' duration. The trip begins at Chicago on September 16, and ends at Washington, November 11, the last stop being made at Richmond, Virginia, after the presidential train has swung around from the farthest corner of the great Northwest to the Mexican border and through the sunny South.

Details of Itinerary

Here is the detailed appointment of the President's time: Starting from the north coast of Massachusetts, the President goes west direct from Beverly. He will motor into Boston the morning of September 15—his fifty-second birthday—and there board the car which practically will be a revolving White House for two months. The President's first stop will be at Chicago, where he is to arrive on the morning of September 16, and there spend the afternoon and evening, leaving at 3 o'clock, Friday morning, September 17, for Madison, Wisconsin, where he will spend the entire forenoon of that day, leaving Madison at midday for Winona, Minnesota, with a brief stop at Portage, Wisconsin, en route. After spending Friday night at Winona, the President will reach Minneapolis the morning of Saturday, September 18. While at Minneapolis the President will visit St. Paul for the afternoon and evening. He will stay on Saturday and Sunday in Minneapolis, leaving Sunday night at 8 o'clock in order to reach Des Moines, Iowa, the morning of September 20. Five hours will be spent in Des Moines, and then the President moves on to Omaha for the late afternoon and evening.

Oratory in Colorado

Denver, Colorado, will be reached the afternoon of September 21, and the President will go almost direct from his train to the State Capitol for a reception to be tendered by State officials, the Chamber of Commerce, civic organizations, etc. At 9 o'clock in the evening the President will make an address in the Denver Auditorium, where Mr. Bryan last year was nominated for the Presidency. The President and his party will breakfast with Thomas F. Walsh at Wolhurst, near Denver, the morning of Wednesday, September 22, and then return to the city for the Chamber of Commerce banquet at noon. Leaving Denver at 5 o'clock on the evening of September 22, the President and his party will stop for an hour's visit at Colorado Springs, and then go on to Pueblo, where in the evening they will be guests at the State Fair.

The morning of September 23 will find the President at Glenwood for a brief visit and that afternoon he will visit Montrose to have a look at the great irrigation tunnel of the western Colorado irrigation project. Returning to Grand Junction to resume the journey westward, the President will arrive at Salt Lake City, Utah, Friday afternoon, September 24, to remain there until Sunday afternoon, September 26, when the party leaves for Pocatello, Idaho, and Butte, Mont. The latter city being reached Monday, September 27, at twenty minutes to seven o'clock in the morning.

State of Washington

After spending half a day in Butte there will be a brief excursion into Helena, Spokane, Wash., will be reached early Thursday morning, September 28, and the entire day will be spent in the city. The forenoon of September 29 will be spent at North Yakima, and the party will arrive at Seattle at fifteen minutes after eight o'clock that evening. The President will also visit Tacoma.

Leaving Seattle on the morning of September 30 and October 1, the Alaska-Yukon Exposition, leaving Seattle late on the evening of the second day and arriving at Portland, Or., October 2, at seven o'clock in the morning. Two days will be spent in Portland, the party leaving there at six o'clock Sunday evening, October 3, for a trip down the famous Shasta route, through the Siskiyou mountains, and in view of Mt. Shasta, to San Francisco.

Stop in Oakland

The President will stop for the evening of October 4 at Sacramento, reaching Oakland, Cal., early on the morning of October 5. He will spend four or five hours in and around Oakland and Berkeley before taking the ferry at thirty

minutes after twelve o'clock for San Francisco. After an afternoon and evening in San Francisco the President will leave early the morning of the sixth for the Yosemite Valley. He will spend the 7th, 8th and 9th in the valley, and, coming out the morning of Sunday, October 10, will proceed to Los Angeles, stopping for three hours at Fresno on Sunday afternoon.

The President on Monday and Tuesday, October 11 and 12, will be in Los Angeles, visiting his sister. He will arrive at the Grand Canyon on the morning of October 14, and will leave again that night for Albuquerque, N. M., where he will spend the evening of the 15th, reaching El Paso early the following morning for the meeting with President Porfirio of Mexico.

This instance, it is said, may take place on the morning of the 16th, at the center of the International Bridge, the chief executives of the two nations standing in their own territory and shaking hands across the border. It is said that a banquet also will be served on the bridge.

Brother's Ranch

The President is due to reach San Antonio Sunday night, October 17, and will spend the forenoon of the following day in an inspection of Fort Sam Houston, with the upbuilding of which he has much to do while Secretary of War. Arriving at Corpus Christi the evening of October 18, the President will go at once to his brother's ranch, where he will stay through Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday. Visiting Houston on the forenoon of Saturday, October 23, on the President will proceed to Dallas that afternoon to spend Saturday evening and Sunday.

From Dallas the President proceeds direct to St. Louis to begin his four days' trip down that historic waterway. He is to reach St. Louis at twenty-seven minutes after seven o'clock the morning of Monday, October 25, and will leave at four o'clock in the evening on the steamboat assigned to him by the Deep Waterways Association, which is to hold its convention in New Orleans upon the President's arrival there. Following the President's arrival there, the following boats will be assigned to the thirty governors of States who have accepted invitations to make the trip down the river and to attend the convention. Another boat will be assigned to a congressional delegation of more than one hundred members.

During his stay in St. Louis he will breakfast at the Commercial Club, will make an address at eleven o'clock in the forenoon in the College, will take luncheon at the Jefferson Hotel as the guest of the Business Men's League, and before boarding the steamer at four o'clock will make a brief visit to East St. Louis.

On the River Trip

The first long stop of the river trip will be at Cairo, Ill., at half past eight o'clock Tuesday morning, October 26. The second stop will be at Hickman, Ky., at half past two o'clock the President making brief addresses at both places. Arriving at Memphis, Tenn., at eight o'clock Wednesday morning, October 27, the President will make an address at nine o'clock, and that afternoon at five o'clock he will speak at Helena, Ark. On Thursday morning, October 28, at half past two o'clock the President will make a speech at Vicksburg. New Orleans will be reached about four o'clock Wednesday afternoon. The river journey also will include short stops at Cape Girardeau, Mo., and Natchez, Miss. The President will remain in New Orleans from Friday afternoon, the 29th, to Monday morning, November 1. He will address the Waterways Convention October 30, at half past two o'clock in the afternoon.

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In Mississippi

From New Orleans the President goes to Jackson, Miss., spending practically the entire day of November 1 there. He will spend three hours of the following day at Columbus, Miss., arriving at Birmingham, Ala., that evening at a quarter to eight o'clock. The President will remain in Birmingham until the afternoon of Wednesday, November 3, when he proceeds to Macon, Ga., arriving there early in the morning of the 4th. After spending the forenoon of the 4th at Macon the President proceeds to Savannah and there the evening of the 4th and half of the next day.

Charleston, S. C., is next on the list for a stop, the evening of November 5. From Charleston the President will proceed on Saturday morning, November 6, to Augusta, where he will spend Saturday afternoon and Sunday. The President wants to have another game of golf on the links where he spent so much time last fall as President-elect, and to renew many of the pleasant acquaintances he made in Augusta. Columbia, S. C., will be visited the afternoon of November 8, and Wilmington, N. C., will claim the President for the entire day of the 9th.

Nearing Home

The President will spend twelve hours in Richmond, Va., from five o'clock in the morning until five o'clock in the afternoon, and will return to Washington on the night of November 10.

The President will leave Washington again, probably on November 11, for Middleton, Conn., to attend the installation of the new president of Wesleyan University. He also has engagements at Norfolk and Hampton, Va., November 18 and 20, so his travels will not be done until the morning of November 21, when he reaches Washington for the last time and to put the finishing touches on his annual message.

Great Profits Are Made By Purchasing the Pictures of Modern Artists. Some Figures of Recent Sales.

There are far worse investments than that of buying pictures of modern artists, judging by the recent sale of the collection of the late Mr. Justice Day. For 123 paintings the judge paid \$7,500 pounds, and they sold for over 75,000 pounds. One hundred per cent profit! Not a bad return for the outlay. Some of the pictures fetched close upon twenty times the sum paid for them. Two paintings by an artist who lives a kind of hermit's life at Hampton—J. M. W. Turner—being bought for 150 pounds, and selling for 1650 pounds and 335 pounds, while a 120 pound picture fetched 2121 pounds. It is not often that a whole collection sells to such advantage, for the simple reason that it is not every collector who is capable of selecting works of art in the judicious manner exercised by Mr. Justice Day. At the same time the history of the art world of the last few years contains several notable examples of canvases bought for a few shillings or pounds being sold for thousands.

Refused to Bond Dealers

One of the most remarkable romances of art came to light in 1904, when a Romney, bought with two other pictures for a few shillings, was sold for 6000 guineas. This picture was the property of a Whitehaven landowner who always limited his outlay in pictures to a few shillings. When he died he left the whole of his property to a lady and her daughter who looked after his cottage. The other two pictures were sold for 40 and 205 guineas respectively, and the heirs were enriched by something like 6700 pounds.

This instance reminds us of the picture sold for 9000 guineas at Christie's six years ago, on what at once time the owner could not realize 5 pounds. It was a worthless-looking wreck, covered with dirty varnish and having two large holes in the canvas—an unimpressive object as ever came out of a rag-and-bone shop. The picture was the property of an old lady at Worthing, and was offered to Bond Street dealers for 5 pounds. No one wanted it, and it was taken to Christie's, where its merits were discovered. Bidding started at 200 guineas, and in a few minutes it was knocked down for 9000 guineas.

Painted For 52 lbs, 10s, Sold For 9870 lbs.

As showing the extraordinary rise in the value of pictures of Lyons artists, it might be mentioned that at the same sale a Romney was knocked down for 4400 guineas which was painted for fifty guineas. At another sale three years ago a portrait of George's wife of Lord E. Townshend, which Romney painted for forty guineas, was sold for 2000 pounds, or nearly thirty times its original cost. The "52" pounds given for two Romneys the other day furnishes another remarkable illustration of the manner in which the works of old masters advance in value as the years go by. After Romney's death his pictures were disposed of for a small sum, and one was bought for from 1 pound to 10 pounds each. Now one has to pay many hundreds of times the amount in order to secure a painting by this master.

More remarkable still, Miller's world-famous "Angelus," which it is said, the great artist sold fifty years ago for less than 5 pounds, and for a sum paid for it does not appear to be known, was bought at the Secretan sale, thirty years later, for the enormous sum of 23,265 pounds, each shilling of the original investment having grown to more than 232 pounds.

Reynolds asked but 151 guineas for his famous canvas, "Mrs. Siddons as the Tragic Muse." Not long after this picture was secured for 17,000 pounds by a dealer, who, within a week, and parted with it at a profit of 5000 pounds, or, approximately, 7 pounds for every shilling of its original cost. In 1866 Gainsborough's portrait of Frederick Duke of York was acquired at the Christie's sale for 66 guineas, to find a purchaser at Christie's forty years later for 3500 guineas. At the same sale two landscapes by "Old Cromie" realized 2050 guineas, or considerably more than a guinea for every shilling the ex-herald boy of Norwich received for them.

Lucky Discoveries

Luck plays a great part in the discovery and purchase of old masters. It is not so long since that a London collector purchased a painting at an auction for 250 pounds, and the next day sent it to Professor Hausser, the well-known Berlin picture restorer, for restoration, who discovered it was a Rembrandt. A few days later it was sold for 8000 pounds. Then, again, a Torquay dealer paid shillings for a Guido, which he sold for 2000 pounds, while a five-pound note purchased a Rubens valued at 700 pounds at an auction sale in Carnarvonshire.

Similar cases of very lucky finds could be multiplied, but as a contrast one might mention that the Bristol Y. M. C. A., five years ago, refused to buy a picture for 10 pounds which ultimately sold for 7000 pounds. A Bristol citizen, who became interested in the work of the local Y. M. C. A., lent a number of wall decorations to the committee when they were furnishing their headquarters. Among them was this picture. One day he called and asked for the return of the pictures he had loaned, but told the executive that if they liked to give him 10 pounds for the picture they would keep it. The offer was declined with thanks. Two months later the old gentleman died and the picture with others was sent to London to be sold. It turned out to be an old master of rare worth, and was sold for the price named on it.

MAMMY JO' IN CALIFORNIA.

By Martha S. Gled of Alabama. Howdy, chile, Lord bless yo' soul, Ise out here in dis wondrous lan' 'Whar' oranges dat lool lak gold Hang at yo' mouf on 'ezy ban'.

An' flowers, honey, you would smile At fuschias growing lak a tree, An' red geraniums milk on mile In hedges tall as po' ole me. An' pumpkins! dey dey western pride, An' is dis one de best of de kind Dey made de carriage lak de ride, Miss Cinderella to de ba!

I wish you could des se de Wes', Dis Californy on de sea Old Mammy Jo' will be er' er' er' Twell you is safely here wid ma.

Stage Hopes Go Glimmering With Her \$1,300 Jewel

Mrs. Ryan, Accusing De Bouvier, Declares He Promised to Star Her in "The United States Cigar." Spent \$100 for Tights She Never Wore in Public. Judge Spurns the Man's Partnership Plea and Holds Him in \$2500 Bail.

NEW YORK—"And I had wine on the ice and hot birds in the kitchen for them but when I saw he didn't have my \$1300 diamond ring on I just went all to pieces, and I guess I said 'damn' to him and ordered him and his friend out of the house."

"Yes, she did that," said Bessie, the maid, "and when he turned to me and said, 'Don't I look honest, Bessie?' I just let him have it and said 'I've seen many a burglar with an honest face than yours,' and he couldn't say anything to that."

Thus, amid tears and sobbings, ended a recital by Mrs. Charles A. Ryan and Bessie, the maid, of Mrs. Ryan's troubles with Hunter de Bouvier, who was held in the West Side Court by Magistrate O'Connor in \$2500 bail on a charge of defrauding her out of \$1000 by promising that he would make her a second Bernhardt.

She Stuck, He Wore the Gems

"Stick to me and you'll wear diamonds" was his motto, said Mrs. Ryan, "and I stuck all right, but it was he who wore the diamonds, when he didn't pawn them. Now please don't ask me to say any more, for I am so flustered I can hardly think."

"It was this way," said Bessie, the maid, determined that nervousness should not suppress the account of mar's doings and woman's guilelessness. "He told her he would star her in a play called 'The United States Cigar,' and that if she made a hit it would be worth \$20,000 to her. And it would, too if she had appeared in tights," added Bessie, the maid.

"That wasn't just it," interrupted Mrs. Ryan, her confusion getting the better of her nervousness. "He talked about that only at first, it was as Lady Julia in 'Pompeii' at \$250 a week that I was to make the big hit, but before we woke up he gave me a vision of not having to appear on the vulgar stage at all and leaving half the big profits we were to make for just traveling with the company."

"Maybe so," said Bessie, the maid. "He used to talk a lot about shows and then you'd give him a ring or a pin, but the first stage you struck was in the police court, and I guess you were the leading lady, all right."

Put Her Money in Jewelry

"There wouldn't have been any trouble

Mrs. Grant's Old Home Is Retreat of Retired Horses



Historic old Dent farm.

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 11.—The historic old Dent farm, just outside the city of St. Louis, where Ulysses S. Grant, then a young lieutenant, stationed at Jefferson barracks, not far away, went a-courting, and where he wooed and won the fair Julia Dent, a daughter of the proprietor and himself and wife afterwards lived there in a house of their own, has been turned into a retreat for tired horses.

About fifty horses that have worked faithfully and well for the city of St. Louis are now luxuriating in riotous ease out in the forty-acre field, through which young Grant and Miss Dent used to canter on their handsome high-spirited thoroughbreds.

The farm was owned by Colonel Frederick Dent, father-in-law of President U. S. Grant, and up to the very day of the emancipation act, owned slaves. But the young lieutenant, stationed at Jefferson barracks, not far away, went a-courting, and where he wooed and won the fair Julia Dent, a daughter of the proprietor and himself and wife afterwards lived there in a house of their own, has been turned into a retreat for tired horses.

After his marriage Captain Grant as his rank then was, erected a small dwelling made of logs, on the land owned by his wife by inheritance, and where they continued to make their home, then went to Galena, Ill., until the needs of his country called him, and it is this land that Street Commissioner Travilla of St. Louis has turned into an equine retreat.

street, De Bouvier, who lives at the Hotel Woodstock, in West Forty-third street, was trying to raise the \$2500 bail. He assured the magistrate that Mrs. Ryan was in partnership with him and had given him the jewelry to raise money for their mutual advantage, but when he failed to produce partnership papers the magistrate cut him short. He had other papers, though, signed by Mrs. Ryan, the nature of which, she said, she didn't know.

Thinks He Hypnotized Her

"I signed anything he asked me to," she declared. "I cannot explain it unless he had a hypnotic influence over me. I only recently came from a sanitarium where he doesn't always know what I am doing."

Mrs. Ryan's husband, who lives at the Catholic Club, declined to comment on the grammatical and other features of his wife's troubles with De Bouvier.

Saddle That Sitting Bull Used And Pony of Chief Big Foot



Famous pony and more famous saddle.

WOULD you like to see a saddle that once belonged to the famous Indian chief Sitting Bull, and a pony which was ridden by Chief Big Foot when he was killed at Pine Ridge near the Little Big Horn River? Such belong to Henry Mueller, a retired soldier, living on Saratoga avenue, Elmhurst. The pony is 25 years old and the saddle is perhaps older.

The pony and saddle had been given to Chief Big Foot by Sitting Bull, and when Big Foot fell his braves on to slaughter the whites at Pine Ridge he was astride the weazened pony that now grazes peacefully on the commons around Elmhurst.

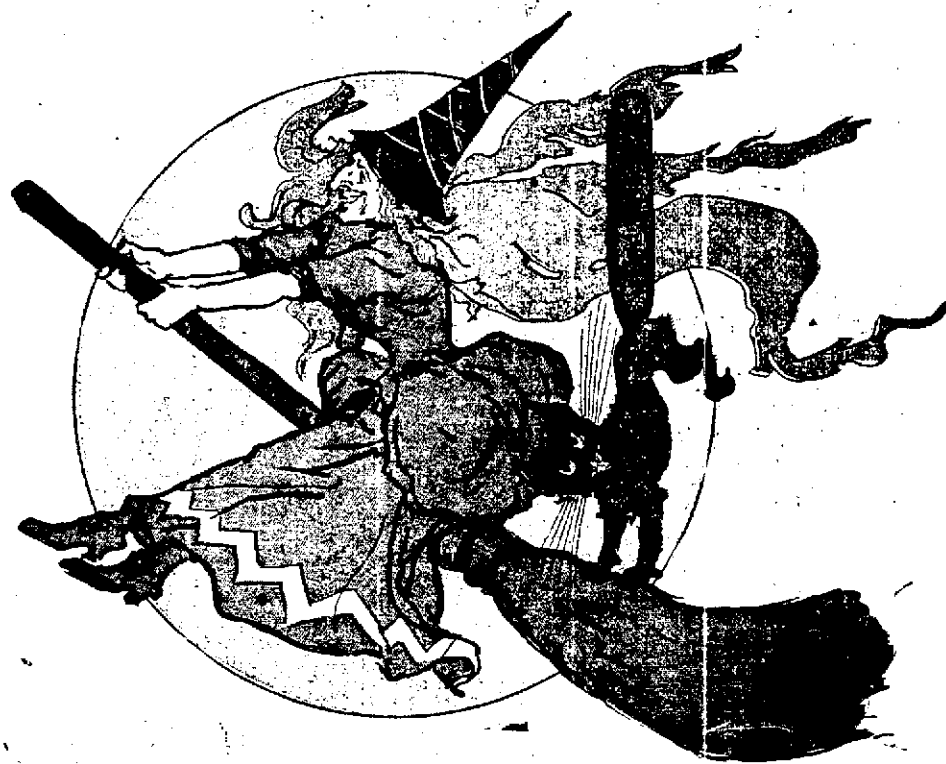
Sergeant Major Mueller obtained the pony and saddle when Big Foot was killed, and his braves routed and the both have been carried around by the family from fort to fort for a number of years. Mueller is retired and came to reside at Elmhurst. The pony has carried the Mueller children to school and the illustration shows them in the saddle which was once occupied by one of the bravest, cruellest and most relentless chiefs that ever gave signal for a battle.

Money could not buy the pony or saddle, but a person who loves curio things would be welcome and a saddle—that would be a most addition to any museum in the land.

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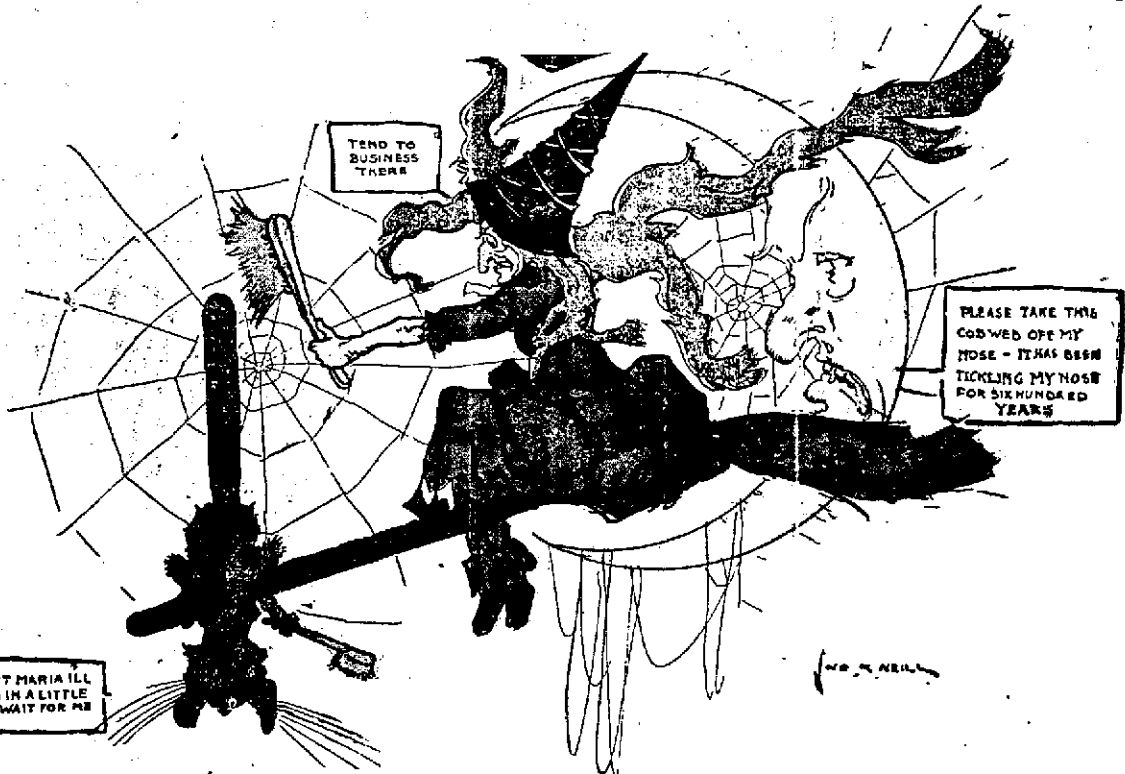
1. They saw an old woman who rode on a broom.
O'er chairs and tables she went 'round the room.
"Open the windows!" she cried. "Very soon
I will take you for a ride to the moon."



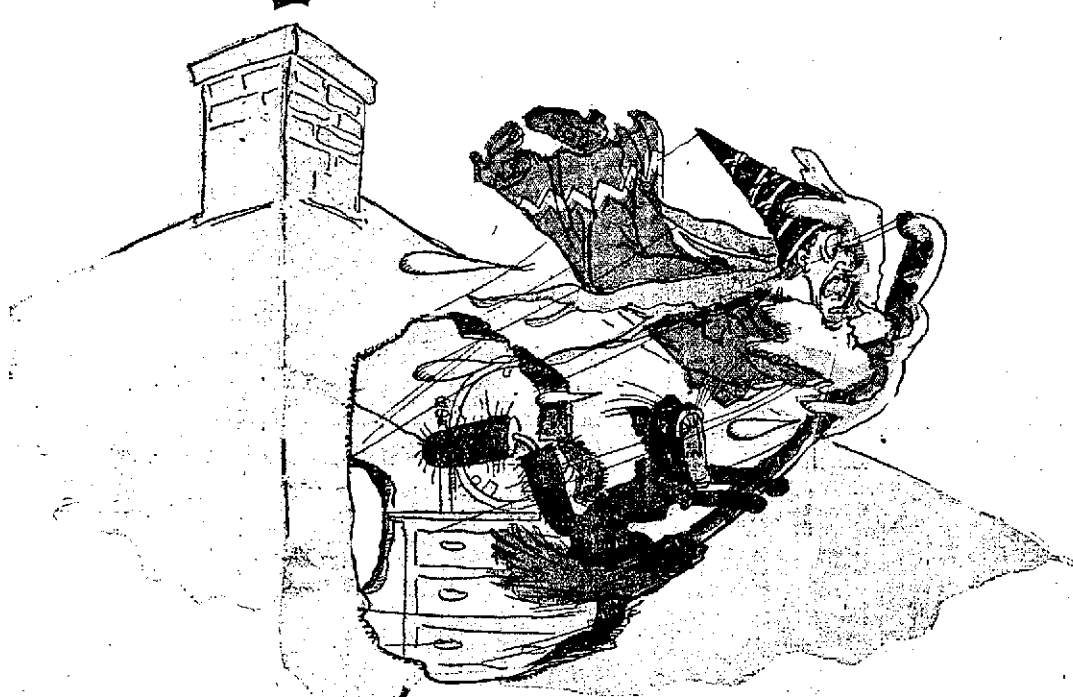
2. She wore an old gown and a high-peaked hat.
Behind on the broom-sat a monstrous black cat.
Aye, marry, gadzooks, what a curious pair.
Besides, the old woman had bright auburn hair.



3. "Oh, whither; oh, whither?" old Mother Goose said.
"You both look tired out. Oh, why not go to bed?"
"We can't," said the woman; "we're behind time right now.
We'll have to get started. Oh, rowdy, dow, dow."



4. "Oh, why are you going, please tell me; oh, why?"
"We've got to remove the cobwebs from the sky."
With a laugh from the witch, from the tomat a cough,
With a swish and a puff the odd pair started off.



5. But alas! in the way stood a house made of mud,
Which the funny pair hit with a terrible thud,
The old witch let out a most terrible howl,
And the tomat joined in with a most dismal yowl.



6. Doc Foster got out his black medicine case.
With plaster he patched up the old lady's face.
The cat's tail was broken. However, with glue,
They stuck it together, and then 'twas like new.

Oakland Tribune.

WOMAN'S SECTION

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The Smartest Fashions of Well-Dressed Folk



HER FIRST VISIT

DEAREST ELEANOR:
Our helpful little neighbor Nellie is starting soon on her first visit, a few weeks to be spent with some delightful aunt whom she never has seen. Because of the fact that she has never left home before, and because she is going so far away, we are all interested in her wardrobe, which is both dainty and adequate.

I called to see her just now, and found the prospective traveler on the floor, showing a lacy blouse to an admiring friend, while her anxious mother packed the trunk with pretties. There was a lovely frock of old-rose cashmere, with yoke and sleeves of net, for the afternoon when driving or calling with auntie. She is also taking three dainty dimity frocks and two linen dresses—those for warmer afternoons. For morning wear she has the costume that she was wearing when I called, a white linen blouse embroidered with blue dots and a high-waisted blue linen skirt, a duplicate of this in green, and three gingham frocks to be worn with embroidered collars on mornings spent at home. Belonging to the two linen skirts are two long linen coats to match, just what she would need to wear upon cool, pleasant days.

For the evening she needs two slightly more dressy gowns than the dimities, gowns to be worn on great occasions like a dinner party or a dance. For such emergencies she is taking two dresses, one of fine embroidered swiss, the other of pink silk muslin trimmed with baby Irish; so, you see, with her tailored suit of navy blue, her long coat for rainy days and motoring and her four white blouses, she is prepared for all occasions. But if her dresses are pretty and satisfactory, her hats are no less so, for while there are not many, each is pretty and becoming. There is a hat trimmed with a band of black velvet and a group of roses, to wear with the old-rose frock and the dimities, there is a leghorn hat with crown of lace for dressiest occasions, there is a plain black sailor hat for traveling, and a white chip hat turned up abruptly on the left side and trimmed only with a band of sapphire velvet so arranged that it may be easily removed and replaced by a band of emerald velvet. This, of course, will be worn with the linen morning gowns.

The guest, who looked upon these beauties with covetous eyes, herself looked well in a suit of natural-colored linen. Her dress was so cut that a panel extended upward at the front and back, while the underarm pieces were of the same material, but tucked. Covered buttons were used down each side of the panel and around the hips, while they also decorated the coat, which was long and straight as to line. Her hat was of straw, trimmed with flaming peepies and cool green foliage.

Nellie's mother, busily preparing for her little daughter's departure, wore a green linen made on modified jumper lines. By this I mean that the dress was in one piece with sleeves to match, but the panel at front and back, which was scalloped on each side and divided at the yoke line, was brought up over each shoulder. A belt, which appeared only on the side, was also of the material and scalloped. Her yoke was of white, but a daring little touch of blue embroidery upon it toned down the green and made the dress just right. With best love, I am, devotedly,
MADGE.

J.G.

CONCERNING HEALTH and BEAUTY

By MRS. HENRY SYMES

REMOVE the LINE of SUNBURN from the THROAT



Hamamelis
mopped on
with cotton



Bind at night with slices of cucumber



Apply liquid powder with a brush.

THE unsightly ring that encircles the throat of so many women is not always burnt by the sun, although its presence is usually attributed to that cause. Very often it is a ring made by the constant friction of a high boned collar and the consequent discoloration of the skin. But whatever its cause, it is perfectly certain that the throat showing no vestige of a ring is decidedly rare, so rare that the white throat has come to be considered a mark of beauty.

Why is this, when the ring may be so easily removed? This is a question that I can ask, but alas! I know that I will receive no answer. However, I will tell you how to remove the line whatever may have caused it, and I advise you all to begin treatment at once, so that when the winter months come and you don semi-dressy open-neck frocks you will not be ashamed of the appearance of your throat.

Every evening wash the neck thoroughly with warm water to which a few drops of borax have been added. This will clean all the surface soil away, and it will also soften the skin so it will be susceptible to treatment. The benzoin softens and bleaches.

After this treatment the ring may be red and perhaps a little sore, but this feeling you may soon banish if hamamelis is mopped on with absorbent cotton. This also is a bleach, and the ring cannot long withstand its soothing and whitening qualities.

To cool the skin after the application

of the drugs, bind the neck with slices of cucumber. This is always a good home bleach, and I feel sure that in the morning you will find a marked improvement.

Perhaps you would rather vary the treatment by using the water with benzoin and the hamamelis one night and reserving the cucumber application for the alternate night. Do not, however, neglect the hot-water bath, though you may omit the benzoin. Then, before binding with the cucumbers, massage the throat lightly with a good skin food.

It may take many treatments to gain this snowy whiteness of throat, and even then you must watch carefully that the ring does not return. At the first glimpse of it resume treatment and it will disappear. In the meantime, should you wish to hide the ring when you wear the Dutch neck or evening dress, you may paint your throat with the following bleach. It is powerful and must be wiped off before drying, for it will leave streaks:

Pure oxide of zinc..... 1 ounce
Glycerine..... 1 dram
Rosewater..... 1 ounce
Essence of rose..... 1 ounce

Shake the zinc, dissolving it in just over it, as I am only 1 year old now, but add the glycerine; next, the remainder of the rosewater. Shake well.

Let me ask you not to be satisfied with the bleach alone. Use it when necessary, but remove the ring. No matter how harmless a drug may be, its constant use will not improve the texture of the skin.



Massage lightly with a skin food

Advice on Social Customs

Mrs. Chester Adams
most cordially invites her friends
to bring to her their Social
Problems and Difficulties
by letter at any time

OVERDRESSING

TO BE perfectly dressed on all occasions is an ideal worth striving for. There is nothing so blatantly ordinary as the person who constantly overdresses.

Particularly true is this when it applies to young girls, and girls in their teens are the ones most prone to err in this respect.

No girl who has not yet made her bow to society or who has not reached the stage of long dresses should wear jewelry of any sort save a plain ring, a seal ring, perhaps, and a chain to hold a watch. Many girls wear bangles, and if they are not jeweled they are not absolutely out of place, but it is better not to wear these except on dress occasions.

Many foolish mothers allow their daughters to wear many things even to school, and by these the children are judged by scholars and teachers alike. When this is pointed out to the fond mothers they fall to grasp the fact that overdressing is a breach of good taste, as well as an indication of underbreeding. They are not sorry that they have subjected their daughters to ridicule; they merely intimate that teachers and pupils are jealous.

They cannot see that children and young girls should be simply dressed and not decked out in a manner unsuitable to their age.

Furthermore, such a display of possessions is more harmful to the character of the child who carries it. She is soon made self-conscious and eager to show off, and it is not long before she begins to realize how conspicuous she is. Naturally, she attributes this, not to the fact that she is unduly conspicuous, but to the fact that she wears more jewelry than her playmates. Of course, this attitude soon makes her susceptible and unpopular.

There is nothing more repulsive to really refined people than the parading

of wealth. It appears to them to be both conspicuous and unkind. The newly rich have been exploited in comics for years past and will be for years to come, not because they are rich, but because their very uneasiness and apparent ignorance of money-spending make them ridiculous. There are many in this country who suddenly acquire wealth. Some of them take the change as it should be taken. Quietly and without ostentation, they change the manner of living as occasion permits. Perhaps they buy new clothes and even new jewelry, but they never wear them at inappropriate times and places.

The newly rich of the other kind grasp their money and seem to leap into view decked out in all kinds of extravagant and costly garments. They are the misguided souls who prefer to be magnificently arrayed, even in the morning, whereas that is the time when the simplest clothes should appear. Late afternoon and evening demand more elaborate gowns. As a matter of fact, people who know how may lavish any sum they like upon even their plainest cotton gowns without overstepping the bounds of good taste. But then they never indulge in ornaments.

A good general rule is to reserve all jewelry, with the exception of rings, for wear after 5 o'clock in the afternoon. A few women who possess pearl necklaces of rare beauty wear them always, as pearls are not now considered a jewel for evening only. Sparkling stones, diamonds, emeralds and rubies are always most beautiful in artificial light, and the last two are really too gaudy to wear daylight, except in the form of rings, and then only at entertainments like luncheons and card parties.

When a girl is 18 she may wear the same style clothes as her mother, except that they should be somewhat simpler. It is better, too, for girls between 18 and 22, unless they are married, to wear jewels of the simplest kind. As the fashion in these matters changes slightly from year to year, I will not attempt to prescribe exactly what may

or may not be worn. General rules are all I can give. Let me entreat you, however, no matter how many magnificences may be concealed in your wardrobe, to wear only plain gowns. It is a matter of self-consciousness and shame to be dressed more than necessary. It is a matter of self-consciousness and shame to be dressed more than necessary. It is a matter of self-consciousness and shame to be dressed more than necessary.

PERPLEXITIES SOLVED

Anxious to Correspond

DEAR Mrs. Adams, I am a young girl, and know a young man whom I think very much. I have seen him several times at a party, but he has not yet written to me. I am very anxious to hear from him, but I do not know how to write to him. I am very anxious to hear from him, but I do not know how to write to him.

Bashful at Sixteen

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Using the Knife and Fork

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at the beginning of the meal, but use your knife and fork throughout the meal. It is no trouble to transfer the fork from the left to the right hand. Nothing but meat should be cut with a knife.

Two Strangers

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Leaving Cards

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Games for a Party

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Oily Skin—Thin Hair

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Lotion for Oily Skin

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Aids to Correspondents

OWING to the great amount of mail received and the limited space given this department, it is absolutely impossible to answer letters in the Sunday issue following their receipt. The letters must be answered in turn, and this oftentimes requires three or four weeks. All correspondents who desire an immediate answer must enclose a self-addressed stamped envelope for a reply.

Fleshy Ankles

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Dry Scalp and Dandruff

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Soap on the Face

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Liquid Face Powder

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For a Thin Person

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To Remove Stains From the Hands

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Salt for the Teeth

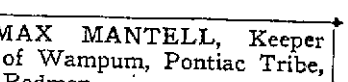
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Eyebrow and Eyelash Grower

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Author Explains Primary Election Law

H. S. ROBINSON, Prominent Member of Pontiac Tribe, Redmen.



Odd Fellows

third degree will be given in anate manner, with several new features of an impressive nature, at Entrance Lodge No. 238, I. O. O. F., at 4th and Franklin streets. Wednesday at 8 p. m. Members and friends are invited to attend.

United Artisans

supreme officers of the United Artisans have completed arrangements for the coming year.

her songs are, "For Remem-
ber Night."

The AMATEUR NURSE

LUNCHEON

Tomatoes stuffed with shrimp and served
with mayonnaise, strips of buttered toast,
fruit, cream, fritters, potato salad, and
tea à la Russa.

DINNER

Vegetable soup au gratin, baked bluefish,
mashed potatoes, tomatoes scalloped in
napoleon, french custard and cake, peach
cocoee.

SATURDAY

BREAKFAST

Fruit, cereal and cream bacon, cream
biscuits, and honey, toast, fruit and coffee.

LUNCHEON

Creamed fish or left-over potato cro-
quettes (a left-over), cucumber salad,
crackers and cheese, fruit, tea.

DINNER

Tomato soup, stuffed and braised breast
of veal, lima beans, apricot fruit salad,
potatoes au gratin, french custard and
cake, peach cocoee.

The Housemothers' Exchange

SATURDAY
BREAKFAST
 Fruit, cereal and cream, bacon, cereal
 biscuits, and honey, toast, tea and coffee.

LUNCHEON
 Creamed fish & left-over, potato cr
 quettes (a left-over), cucumber salad
 crackers and cheese, fruit, tea.

DINNER
 Tomato soup, stuffed and braised
 of veal, lima beans, spinach fruit
 salad, rice, applesauce, fruit

Possibilities of the Breadbox

But, if one has not already been hurt from the "front window" windswill; but the front window overlooking the street presents a problem to the average housewife. If she dared, stand a continuous milk bottle in view of the opposite neighbors. Unfortunately, she too often dares, and it might be well if she were converted to the use of the rustic box. It is placed below the windswill or door to all appearances, it is but a unused window box. It may even be hinged to the box and will be found serviceable, except during the storm.

A Refrigerator Box

A DELIGHTFUL delusion is the rustic window box when used as a fall and winter refrigerator for the indoor housewife. No distinction is made between the delicacy and the culture when the room hostess is faced with overlooking some courtyard, for the window box offers a "garage" for the food. It is the "garage" for the food from the outside window sill; but the front window, overlooking the street, is the "garage" for the milk. The milk would, if she dared, stand in a continuing milk bottle in view of the opposite window. But, fortunately, she too is a darts, and it might be converted to the use of the rustic box. It is placed below the window sill or on the sill at all. It is a rustic box, unused window-box. A lid may even be hinged to the box, and it will be found to be a most excellent device in the weather.

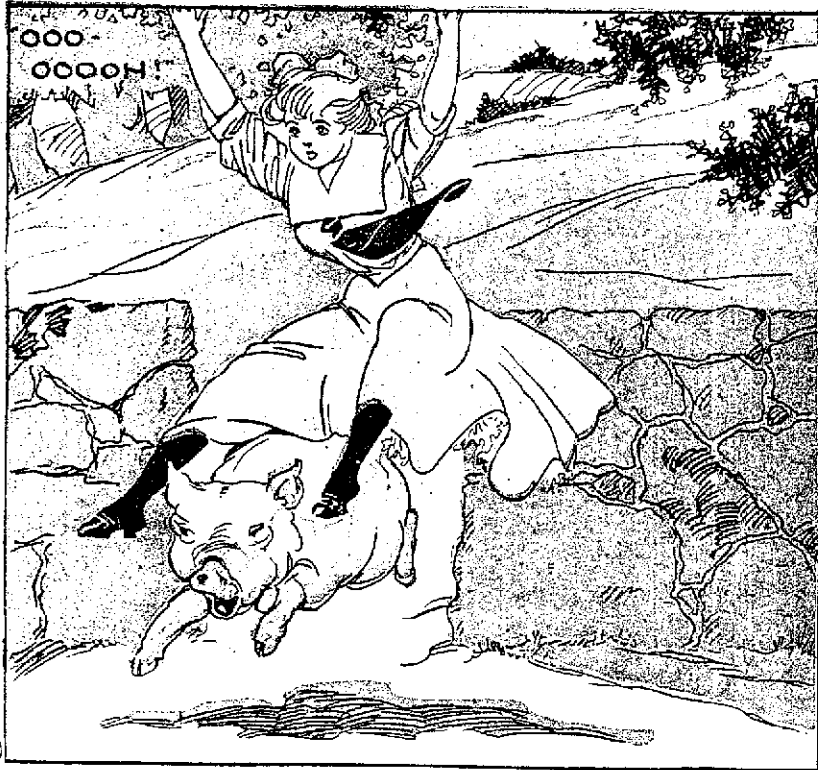
Housekeeping Helps

A GOOD furniture polish may be made of paraffine, oil and turpentine. Kerosene, too, is very good, while crude oil may be used to darken wood that has not been varnished.

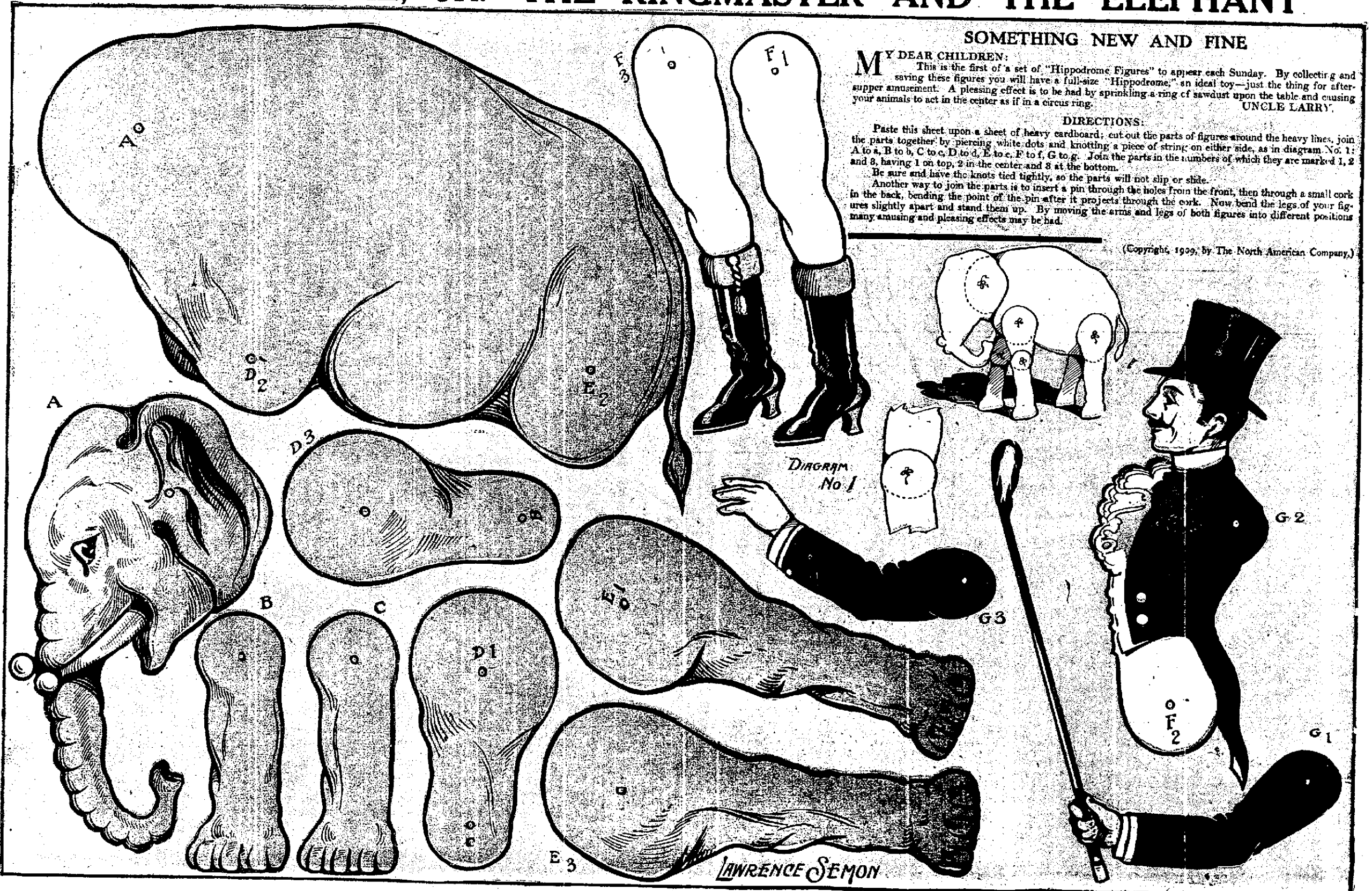
Homemade Cheese.

Stir two tablespoonfuls of rennet into a gallon of milk warm from the cow. Pour into a quart jar place to ferment in forty-five minutes it will curd. Drain off the whey and put the dry curd into a lined bowl. Press down and then let sit over a drip cloth until liquid has drained away. Rub of finer texture than the first. Clean jars of small round box with holes bored close together. Fill with curd pressing and compacting it into them and press down. The top of the box should slip into the inside of another one. Weigh down with heavy weights upon the top and leave overnight. The box should be of the same shape and size as the first. Dip in cold water before the curd goes in. When the hour is up turn out the cheese and slice.

IT'S ONLY ETHELINDA---SHE PLAYS A PRANK WITH A PIG



THE HIPPODROME, JR.---THE RINGMASTER AND THE ELEPHANT



Three Are Killed When Auto Plunges in Crowd

Vast Interests Are Staked on the Health Of Harriman, Wizard of High Finance

HOLDS FATE OF TRADE IN HAND

Wonderful Brain and Energy Directs Machine That Moves Commerce

Stability of the System Might Not Be Affected by the Magnate's Withdrawal

(BY JAMES S. EVANS.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Suppose for one instant that when the Kaiser Wilhelm II, appears in port Tuesday next the captain or purser or the steward should inform the impulsive, the waiting and eccentric world that F. H. Harriman, a passenger aboard that good ship, had, on the voyage across, made up his mind to quit the game.

Human Laws Only Cure

Mr. Harriman sailed from Cherbourg on Thursday last. For weeks he had been a patient. The most skilled men in Europe have been his physical aids. Now, according to good reports, medicine no longer is of avail. Compliance with human laws, the observance of sanitary regulations, the old-time, religious way of having breakfast, eating dinner answering the supper bell at regular periods, are the only means of restoring this wonderful man to health.

Invested Fortunes Safe

Let no one be alarmed. While controlling largely the railroad interests of the western hemisphere the fortunes of thousands locked in that big little head of this financial giant are not booked for the scrap heap. The days are still to come when he will make Wall Street persons—Wall Street gents—as some are wont to describe a few hundred demitted below Liberty Lane—jump like a greyhound in pursuit of a greenback rabbit.

Financiers Laugh at Death

One who is sick is not scheduled to die just because of immediate malady. Jay Gould was in the hands of doctors for years before he succumbed. Likewise was the senior Vanderbilt. They heaped fortunes on fortune piled thousands on millions built miles of track, equipped systems of transportation lines opened up new territories lived, laughed and signed bills of exchange years after their death warrants had been signed by physicians.

Would He Be Missed?

How would the financial world be affected, after Tuesday next, should the news come in that Harriman was to let go? Suppose you, that a single train of cars running between the Atlantic and the Pacific, would lose a minute of time? That the Iowa farmer now shaking hands with Dolliver and Cummins, would miss the financial weight of a bundle of oats or the worth of a car load of cattle? Huh!

Where Concern Lies

Concern over this man's health so far as New York is affected, lies mainly in the planned merger of the New York Central lines with those Mr.

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Blanche Oelrichs, Handsomest Newport Bud, Promised Bride

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles M. Oelrichs gave a dinner and dance at the Clam-bake Club this evening when they announced the engagement of their daughter, Miss Blanche Oelrichs, to Leonard Moorhead Thomas of Philadelphia, which has been reported and denied numerous times since the Newport season started.

Thomas is one of the wealthiest young men of Philadelphia and has been secretary of the United States



E. H. Harriman Dying From Cancer

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 21.—E. H. Harriman, the railroad magnate, has cancer of the stomach and is given only three months longer to live, according to a story in the Omaha World-Herald today.

This information, the newspaper says, comes from those closest to Mr. Harriman, and its authenticity is unquestioned.

When Mr. Harriman started for Europe he had already been in-

formed that he was a victim of the disease and his trip was for the purpose of consulting eminent European physicians. These physicians agreed with the American doctors and Mr. Harriman is now given but three months to live. Everything possible to keep his real ailment secret has been done and during the past few months Mr. Harriman has been engaged in setting his house in order for the approaching end.

GEMS TEMPT ROBBERS AT BALL

Two Thugs Attempt to Steal Diamonds From Woman at Social Function

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 21.—The \$2000 worth of diamonds which Mrs. Joseph R. Dilworth of New York wore at the ball given last night at the Casino tempted two robbers. Just as she reached the doorway of the Shoreham cottage they sprang at her. Mrs. Dilworth screamed to her chauffeur.

The two men rushed into the house and Mrs. Dilworth springing into the automobile raced about the cottage colony for a policeman. Two officers made a quick run back to the cottage but the robbers escaped.

When Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Harriman who are guests of the Dilworths returned from the tennis courts they found everyone up and searching. The entire cottage colony had heard of the thrilling experience of Mrs. Dilworth and in consequence greatly disturbed.

CHAFFEUR AND ELOPING WIFE FOUND

Mrs. Cherry, the Spouse of Millionaire Contractor, Found in Denver

JACKSONVILLE, Ill., Aug. 21.—Information has reached here that Mrs. John Cherry wife of the millionaire contractor who eloped with her husband's chauffeur, Peter Haxton, has been located at Denver. The two were standing before a jewelry store when A. R. Blakey of Paris, Missouri, a neighbor to Mrs. Cherry, came out. There she introduced Haxton as being her husband's nephew.

It is stated here that Mrs. Haxton received a letter from her husband at Denver saying he was in jail. It is supposed that he was arrested in trying to pawn Mrs. Cherry's diamonds, which are worth \$5000. John Cherry refuses to discuss the disappearance of his wife.

NOMINATION, SAYS HENEY, MUST BE BY PETITION

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 21.—Francis J. Heney, in a written statement, points out that according to the recent Supreme Court decision in California he cannot accept the nomination for prosecuting attorney on either the Democratic or Independence League ticket.

"The only way in which I can become a candidate is by petition signed by a certain number of voters who did not vote at the primary election, requesting that my name be placed on the ballot as an independent candidate," says Heney.

WELLMAN FAILS IN DASH FOR THE POLE

Two Attempts End in Disaster and Expedition Is Delayed

DIRIGIBLE BALLOON IS ONCE LOST IN SKIES

On the Second Trip the Big Gas Bag Explodes, Stopping Trip for Year

CAMP WELLMAN, Spitzbergen, Aug. 15.—(Via Hammerfest, Aug. 21).—Walter Wellman's second attempt to sail to the North Pole in a balloon has failed.

The giant dirigible balloon America, in which he and two companions set out today, met with a mishap after it had gone about thirty-two miles. The party landed unhurt and returned here on the steamer Fram, which towed in the disabled balloon.

After long preparation and waiting for favorable weather, the opportunity came today and early in the morning Mr. Wellman decided to start. Everything had been ready for some time.

At 10 a. m. the great airship was taken out of its shed and the explorers took their places in the car. When the anchors were cast loose the airship ascended beautifully, the engines were set in motion and everything seemed to work to perfection.

The big airship was maneuvered for some time and answered the helm perfectly.

Then its head was turned north and it set out at a speed of twenty-five miles an hour.

Goes Into Sky

Suddenly, after having covered some thirty-two miles, and when everything seemed to be going splendidly the leather guide rope, to which was attached a thousand pounds of provisions and stores, broke away.

The accident occurred just as the airship was nearing the pack ice of North Spitzbergen.

Released from this great weight, the airship shot upward at a terrific pace until it was at a great height above the clouds.

The pilots succeeded, however, in bringing her down near the earth, turned her about and set out to fight their way south against a strong wind.

This airship proceeded slowly southward to the edge of the pack ice, where the steamer Fram was anchored.

After much difficulty a tow-rop was thrown aboard the Fram which started immediately to tow the airship to Spitzbergen.

The strain was so great, however, that it threatened to tear the car, to which the rope was attached, to pieces and Mr. Wellman finally decided to bring the airship down to the surface of the water.

This was done without mishap and the car rested on the surface of the sea until all the members of the crew, the dogs and scientific instruments could be transferred aboard the Fram.

A fresh start was then made and the America was ordered back to the landing stage and within a short distance of where the start was made.

Gas Bag Explodes

But the ill luck of the expedition was not yet at an end. Just as the airship had reached the landing stage and everything looked favorable for its resumption of the journey, a sudden gust of wind caught the big inflated bag, broadside on and snatched it away from its moorings.

It was carried careening over the rough ice hummocks for some distance and then exploded.

All the scattered parts of the airship were subsequently recovered but the damage was so great as to create the possibility of its being able to fly to the Pole this year.

Mr. Wellman will return to Norway next week. He insists that the airship was not seriously damaged but cannot be repaired as to whether it is possible to sail to the Pole this year is impossible to say.

He is enlarging the balloon-house to accommodate a longer and more perfect ship for further use.

SHORTRIDGE'S BABY STRANGLES ON MILK BOTTLE

SAN JOSE, Aug. 21.—The two-month-old daughter of former Senator and Mrs. Charles M. Shortridge died here this evening of strangulation while the mother of the child was out of the room.

The baby swallowed the nipple of her milk bottle and before aid could reach her the child was dead.

M'KENNA READY TO LEAVE BENCH

Associate Justice of Supreme Court of United States is in Poor Health

GOVERNOR SMITH MAY BE HIS SUCCESSOR

President Taft is Reported Favorable to Aspirations of Philippine War Hero

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Associate Justice McKenna of the United States Supreme Court is about to retire on account of ill health, according to state-

ments made by intimate friends of the jurist today. Governor General James F. Smith is mentioned as the successor of Justice McKenna.

Justice McKenna, who was appointed a member of the Supreme Court in 1898, has been in poor health for some time. He has talked freely to his friends about his retirement. He is said to be extremely desirous of remaining on the bench, but his health prevents this.

He has therefore determined, his friends say, after nature consideration to tender his resignation and they add that it is more than probable that General Smith who recently resigned as chief executive of the Philippine Islands will be named to fill the place.

Smith May Get It

General Smith went to Washington not long ago to present his resignation. President Taft wanted him to return to the Philippines, but his desire to remain in the United States caused him to refuse the President's request.

His ambition was to obtain a Federal Judgeship but as there were no vacancies, such an appointment was impossible. General Smith then returned to this State leaving his resignation at Washington. He was formerly a law partner in this city of Superior Judge Frank J. Murphy.

Justice McKenna was born in Philadelphia in 1843 and admitted to the bar in 1865. Prior to his admission to the bar he lived in Benicia, with his parents. He served as District Attorney of Solano county and was a member of the California Legislature of 1876-6. He was a member of Congress from 1885 to 1889. He was appointed a judge of the United States Circuit Court in 1893 and elevated to the Supreme bench January 26, 1898.

MISS ELKINS IS RETICENT

NAUHEIM, Germany, Aug. 21.—Miss Katherine Elkins has arrived here with her mother and they are stopping at the Kaiserhof.

A correspondent saw Miss Elkins today and asked her if she would confirm or deny the report that the Duke of the Abruzzi is coming back from the Himalayas to meet her at the Countess of Granard's home in England, and renew their engagement to marry.

Miss Elkins answered laconically, but politely: "I have nothing to say."

TO MAKE BOOTH AN ENGLISH GENERAL

LONDON, Aug. 21.—Another operation was performed here today on the eye of General William Booth, the aged head of the Salvation Army. Suppuration developed in the organ, which had been attacked by septic poisoning.

The aged general bore the operation bravely and is progressing satisfactorily. It is said that in recognition of the service rendered by General Booth to the Salvation Army the Government is likely to make him a general in the British Army.

Rev. Robert J. Burdette Is To Be Succeeded by Oregon Divine

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 21.—Since the physical disability of Rev. Robert J. Burdette, D. D., has rendered necessary his resignation from the active pastorate of Temple Baptist Church, the question of his successor is being considered seriously, and indications point strongly to the possibility that Rev. J. Whitcomb Broughton of Portland, Ore., may be secured for the place. The resignation of Rev. Dr. Burdette was accepted formally Wednesday night and he now is pastor emeritus of Temple Church.

KIDNAPERS OF BABY CAUGHT

KANSAS CITY, Aug. 21.—After eluding the police of two States for half a day, J. N. Gentry and Mrs. James G. Barclay, who kidnapped little Marlin Barclay, the St. Louis World's Fair incubator baby, at Topeka, 10 o'clock this morning, were captured by Kansas City detectives at 10:30 tonight as they were about to enter the city on a Burlington train.

Mrs. Barclay is known as the foster-mother of the child.

TWO SPECTATORS MEET DEATH INSTANTLY AND MECHANICIAN DIES LATER

Series of Disasters, in Which There Are Three Fatalities, Puts an End to Indianapolis Meet

INDIANAPOLIS, Aug. 21.—Death claimed its toll again on the ill-fated Indianapolis Motor Speedway today when two spectators and a mechanic were killed and two spectators and two drivers were injured. This time accidents put a stop to the racing.

The dead:

BENJAMIN F. LOGAN, Indianapolis.
H. H. JOLLEFF, Franklin, Indiana.
CLAUDE KELLUM, Indianapolis, mechanic.

The injured:

HENRY TOMPKINS, Indianapolis, both arms broken.
JAMES ATTLIFF, Indianapolis, seriously injured.
DRIVER MERZ, slight hurt.
DRIVER BRUCE KEENE, cut about head and face.

AUTO BOLTS ROAD 1 DEAD, 3 DYING, 3 BADLY HURT

Millionaire's Family, Taking Boy to College, is Almost Wiped Out by Accident

MANGLED VICTIMS FOUND NEAR RUINS OF MACHINE

Crash Occurs on Road Near New York; Injured Lay Helpless 30 Minutes

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—A giant automobile containing George A. MacLean, his wife, his son, his daughter, two girl guests and his chauffeur, all of Chicago, crashed from the roadway and crushed against a telegraph pole four miles south of New Brunswick this evening.

Half an hour later, when help arrived, MacLean's 17-year-old son, George Jr., was found lying dead with his head crushed against a telegraph pole his father unconscious seventeen feet away, dying of a broken back, Mrs. MacLean was huddled underneath the debris of the car, also dying from internal injuries and two broken legs.

Three Girls Injured

Their eighteen-year-old daughter, Dorothy MacLean, had been flung against the fence and lay unconscious beside it, her arms both broken and her spine badly hurt, and the Misses Jeannett and Harriett McDonald, were also unconscious in each other's arms near the ruins of the machine, each with a fractured leg. The chauffeur, a negro named Oscar Scott, escaped with two fractured arms.

At St. Peter's Hospital New Brunswick, where the victims were removed it was said tonight that Mr. and Mrs. MacLean could not survive and that Miss Harriett McDonald was also fatally injured.

Son Just Entering College

The tragic accident came as the result of a journey the MacLeans family made from Chicago in order to arrange for the entrance of their son George Jr., into Princeton.

The senior MacLean is manager of the Marshall Field stores in Chicago, and with his wife and pretty daughter, Dorothy, has been socially prominent in the western city.

Woman Killed in Chicago

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—Mrs. Nettie P. Robinson of Denver died this evening at St. Luke's hospital of injuries received in the automobile accident last Tuesday in Michigan avenue in front of the Auditorium Hotel, when an electric runaway, containing Mrs. Robinson and two other women, plunged into a ten-foot excavation.

PULITZER'S NEPHEW TO WED CALIFORNIA SOCIETY GIRL

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Walter Pulitzer, a nephew of Joseph Pulitzer is to marry Miss Lillian Hearn of California. The ceremony will take place soon, probably in Suffolk county, Long Island.

Mr. Pulitzer and Miss Hearn are both members of the summer colony at Fat-chogue, L. I. They took out a marriage license a few days ago in the office of George L. Clibbester, town clerk of Brookhaven.

The fatal accident occurred on the 235th mile of the 340-mile race, the feature of the day, when, with terrific speed, Merz, in a National car, with Kellum as mechanic, dashed off a culvert, through a fence, turning a somersault and landing in the creek which the culvert spanned and dragged the occupant and spectators for a space of ten yards. The accident was caused by a tire bursting on the right front wheel. At the point of the accident the speedway was not banked, which probably caused the fatalities of the day.

Crowds Hysterical

Many spectators were standing inside the wire fencing cheering the contestants. The accident occurred fifty yards from the end of the 50-cent bleachers, at the end of the first turn, just before the course leads into the back stretch. The crowd in the bleachers became hysterical men and women fighting for places of safety, fearing that the machine would dash into their stand. Others trying to cross the track, narrowly escaped death from the contestants flying by at breakneck speed. Fully 35,000 people saw the accident.

Kellum had been substituted a short time before the accident as the mechanic for Lynne Merz's regular partner, who had fallen exhausted earlier in the race. Kellum was rushed to the track emergency hospital, but died shortly after 6 o'clock this evening from internal injuries.

Total of Six Deaths

Today's carnage makes a total of six killed since the opening of the Indianapolis Speedway. There were three today, Bourque and Holcomb, his mechanic, being killed on Thursday's opening. Littauer of the Stoddard-Dayton crew is dying from the results of injuries received on the way to the track for practice.

Jack de Rosier, world's champion motorcyclist, is also lying in a critical condition at the Methodist Hospital from injuries received last Saturday in the motorcycle races, when he lost control of his machine in practically the same spot where Bourque and Holcomb were killed on Thursday.

Races Called Off

It was but two days after the National made a plunge that the Marmon car No. 17, driven by Bruce Keene of Indianapolis, struck one of the ruts on the back course, skidded and turned turtle. Keene was badly cut about the head and face, but the mechanic escaped injury. The officials of the American Automobile Association then demanded that the speedway promoters call the races off, which was done on the 235th mile, when the Jackson car, driven by Lynch, was leading the flat, driven by De Palma, by less than a minute. Referee F. B. Stevens stated that owing to the physical condition of the contestants, who had been subjected to the strain of a three days' race meet, he had called the races off.

Pinned Under Auto

Merz was pinned beneath his machine and while under it stopped the engine. He was rescued with but a few scratches and was driven back to the start, where he was greeted by his father, who had been told he was dead. His statement of the accident was:

"My right front tire exploded and threw my car through the center railing into the crowd. The car turned over, pinning me beneath it, but the only injury I received was a light scratch. My mechanic, Claude Kellum, was tossed out and hurt, but I don't know how badly. We were several feet from the fence at the time and running blue. I am not hurt."

PRIVATE ASYLUM USED AS JAIL, IS CHARGE

Donahue Orders Inquiry Into
Charge That Two Aged Wo-
men Are Held in Durance

THEY'RE LIFE PATIENTS.
ON \$1000 FEES, SAYS GIRL

Atkinson Sanitarium Again is
Brought Under Limelight
by Allegation

District Attorney Donahue has ordered a complete investigation into the charges that Mrs. Sarah Reilly Atkinson, 1223 Twenty-seventh avenue, has imprisoned two aged women within her private sanitarium. Deputy Sheriff John Riley has been detailed to conduct the inquiry and will begin an official probing into the matter tomorrow.

Mrs. Lemoine of the Associated Charities filed a complaint with the district attorney yesterday, in which she alleged that Mrs. Elizabeth Black, aged 83, and Miss Anna Coppo, 74, were kept locked in small and poorly ventilated rooms in the rear of the institution.

Mrs. Atkinson in Seattle

At Mrs. Atkinson's home her daughter, Miss Mary Reeves, stated that her mother was in Seattle. She admitted that the two women were in the institution, but declared that six years ago, in San Francisco, each patient had paid \$1000, in return for which they were to be taken care of for the balance of their lives.

Mrs. Reeves declared that there were no other patients in the institution and that they were the last of five patients who were treated in the sanitarium before this. She declared that no new patients had been admitted.

The district attorney also is investigating a law which prohibits the admission of any patient to a private sanitarium without a commitment from the Board of Insanity Commissioners.

Attained Much Notoriety

Mrs. Atkinson attained considerable notoriety several months ago, when Judge Harris of the Superior Court ordered the release of Mrs. Van Dieren, an Alameda woman who had been placed in the sanitarium by J. C. Miles, a former Denver man, now of San Francisco. Attorney Howard K. James of Alameda was drawn into the scandal which then arose by reason of the fact that he had signed the complaint under which the woman was incarcerated.

Mrs. Van Dieren was about 60 years of age and was reputed to have possessed considerable real property in Alameda. It was hinted that her incarceration was a part of a plot to secure control of her realty.

Investigation is Started

The woman was taken before Dr. A. A. Stafford of Alameda, who, according to Attorney James, declared that there was no doubt of her insanity and suggested that she be committed. James suggested the Atkinson sanitarium.

A few weeks later it leaked out that Mrs. Van Dieren was being mistreated. An investigation was started and the woman swore that she was beaten and bruised by the attendants of the place and the Board of Insanity Commissioners declared that the woman was perfectly sane.

Mrs. Atkinson Rebuked

As a result of this proceeding, which was held before Judge Harris, the woman

CIVIL WAR HERO PAYS ANNUAL VISIT TO GRAVE OF HIS LEG

LENNOX, Mass., Aug. 21.—In pursuance of a custom that has come to be almost a solemn rite, Major George Tate, U. S. A., retired, has left here to make his annual visit to the grave of his left leg, shot off in action, which is buried at Gettysburg, on the battlefield.

Major Tate now is an internal revenue officer attached to the New York district. Since the battle not a year has passed that Major Tate, no matter how pressing his duties, has not gone to Gettysburg to lay a flower on the burial place of his lost member.

PUGET SOUND TRIP IS TAKEN BY LARGE CROWD

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Large as the passenger business along the coast has been for many weeks past, the liner Governor went out this afternoon for Seattle and Tacoma with a full list of voyagers, many of whom are through passengers from San Diego and Los Angeles ports. Notable on the list were Mr. and Mrs. R. McCoy, Mr. and Mrs. J. Stearns, and two daughters, J. Patterson, Mrs. K. French, Mr. and Mrs. P. McLean, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Long and Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Frohm of San Francisco, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Allen of Napa, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Simmons of Seattle, Mr. and Mrs. J. Simmons of Tacoma, E. W. Matt of Denver, Mrs. Ida Campbell of Seattle, Mrs. Cope of Santa Cruz, A. Hutchison and M. Davis of Goldfield, Nev., W. Weatherly of Sacramento and Judge H. H. Folsom of Juneau, Alaska.

KANSAS CITY TO SAIL ON HER MAIDEN VOYAGE

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Next Saturday the modeled steamer Kansas City will sail on her first voyage to Portland, in the service of the San Francisco and Portland Steamship Company, making trips alternately with the liner Rose City. Captain William Kidston, who formerly commanded the Rose City, and who brought the Kansas City from the Eastern coast, is to be master of the Kansas City, which, on account of her appointments and general fitness for the Columbia river route, is likely to become a rival of the Rose City for popularity on the line.

STEAMER ASSUAN ARRIVES IN PORT

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—The Kosmos steamer Assuan, from Hamburg and many ports of the Southern coast, arrived this evening, though not scheduled to make port until this morning. European freight and merchandise from South and Central America and Mexico is in the hold of the steamer. A few passengers arrived from the south, but the steamer's late arrival in quarantine prevented them from landing last night.

STEAMER MARIPOSA IS ON WAY FROM TAHITI

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—The steamer Mariposa will leave the island of Tahiti, in the South Sea, tomorrow, for this city, and will arrive in twelve days. Long before she arrives, however, the Mariposa is expected to be heard from by wireless. Already the Mariposa is booked for prospective passengers for the voyage to Tahiti, the steamer having here on the morning of September 11.

was released. The Court in passing judgment rebuked Mrs. Atkinson and denounced the system under which she conducted her establishment.

Prior to this time Mrs. Atkinson had attained much notoriety in the courts, having been fined \$50 with an alternative of 15 days in jail by Judge Wasto for contempt.

DIAZ WILL NOT MEET PRESIDENT Mexican Ruler is Too Busy With Revolutionists to See Taft

GALVESTON, Texas, Aug. 21.—The Mexican war department has ordered two regiments of cavalry and one regiment of infantry from the Central barracks near the capital city to stations in the northern states of Coahuila, Nuevo Leon. A dispatch from the capital, Mexico, says that President Diaz has practically admitted he will not be able to come to the border and meet President Taft upon the occasion of the latter's trip south in a few weeks.

This report says that a committee of citizens from Texas called upon the President to extend him an invitation to visit Texas and if possible President Taft, in the Lone Star State, but the general, after thanking the Texans, informed them that he deeply regretted he could not come to Texas at this time and that he had very little hope of being able to even come to the Rio Grande to greet President Taft. This delegation learned that General Diaz will not leave the capital at least until all signs of a disturbance have disappeared and that while he explained matter of state would require his presence at the capital, the revolutionary agitation is responsible for his decisions.

SALINA CRUZ HARBOR NEEDS DREDGING BADLY

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Unless the Mexican government or the management of the Tehuantepec isthmian railroad given prompt attention to the harbor of Salina Cruz, there is apt to be trouble for the huge steamers of the American-Hawaiian line. The yesterday with an immense cargo, brought the report that the harbor into the breaker water is shoaling, and that there is about thirty-four feet of water where thirty-eight or thirty-nine feet formerly existed.

CHICAGO BELLE ARRIVES FROM LONDON

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Lady Granville Gordon, the Chicago society belle whose sensational divorce from "Bill" Gordon in London six years ago stirred the court circles of all European capitals, arrived in New York today on the steamship St. Louis. She was accompanied by her little daughter. Ciciely, the child whom she once kidnapped and took to France after making disclosures that her exile from St. James' palace, and public disgrace at the hands of Queen Alexandra.

"Really, I can't understand why my movements are of interest to the public," Lady Granville told a reporter. "I am now living quietly in the south of France. This is the first time I have been in the United States in fifteen years. I am going to return to France after a month's visit."

WELL KNOWN BRITISH SEAMAN PASSES AWAY

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—News is received of the death on July 19, in Scotland, of Captain William H. Rae, a British shipmaster who formerly made occasional visits to the port of San Francisco and was known to men here as one of the sea. Captain Rae was 82 years old. He had been master of the Loch Ore and Loch Breddan.

CHINESE OFFICIALS GREET FAIRBANKS

PEKIN, Aug. 21.—Former Vice-President Fairbanks arrived here today and was greeted at the station by the legation staff, the Marine Guard and high officials of the Wai Wu Pu, with an escort of Chinese soldiers.

GERMANS UNITE TO ENTER INTO POLITICS

Citizens to Band Together to
Uphold Traditions of Their
Fatherland

SEVERAL THOUSANDS
TO AID EACH OTHER

To Be a Unit When Principles
Are Assailed, They
Declare

"The German-American citizens of California are, hereafter, when their principles are assailed, whenever they are denied the pleasures in which they are encouraged by their parents, whenever they are denied the right of indulging in the customs of sociability which were encouraged at the old home and which they are entitled to indulge under the constitution of the United States, to be a factor in the life of the community, and in the past. Hereafter, we have to be a unit in such cases."

This was the answer given by Theo. Glor to a question by a representative of THE TRIBUNE last night, propounded to several leading German citizens, as to what was the purpose of the convention of the various German societies of the city on the last Sunday of next month.

As American Citizens
"We propose," said another of the gentlemen of the group, "to uphold the German language, our love of song and music, to maintain the harmless habits and customs learned and respected at home and to do this as good American citizens."

The convention to which reference is here made, will be attended by representatives from all the large cities of California and, in nearly all of those places, there is a German organization of some kind.

These societies are divided into what is known as a Deutscher Verband, which is, in a certain sense, the headquarters of what is technically known as a German lodge, and various kinds of several Deutscher Verbände, but which, as represented in the forthcoming State convention and many of them will be prepared to set forth to their brothers, members, in other sections of the State, the importance of various kinds of which has, from time to time, been made upon the rights and the liberties to which, as good American citizens, they are entitled under the constitution of this country.

Wisdom and Patriotism

"There will be resolutions presented and discussed. Some of them," said another member of the group, "will be accepted and others will be rejected, but wisdom and patriotism will be the motives which will govern the delegates in taking action on them."

Among the resolutions which will be presented here will be those of San Diego, Los Angeles, San Jose, Sacramento, Fresno, Stockton, Napa, San Diego, to say nothing of a number of German organizations, which are associated with one or the other of those verbände which are too numerous to mention at this time.

Oakland Verbund

The verbund of Oakland was one of the latest in the State to organize. The inception was taken only a few months ago and at the meeting which was called at the time the verbund was organized, the members were only five. Among the members were only five. These were incorporated into the verbund. Last night, at the meeting of the organization, there were seventeen additional societies. Over its deliberations, presided Albert C. Curran, proprietor of the Oakland Journal, one of the German papers of this city.

Among the associations represented was the Verein Hortensia, which is devoted to gardening and which was organized by the German Ladies' Relief Society, presided by Mrs. C. C. Curran.

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Individual Legislators Favor the Income Tax

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Through the country the sentiment favoring the adoption of the amendment making possible the adoption of an income tax is growing as a rapid rate. California is the latest State legislature to be polled. Of those legislators reported, a majority are in favor of the amendment. This makes in all twenty-eight State legislatures which have been so far polled. In all, 723 State representatives have declared strongly for the adoption of the tax, and only fifty against it.

MURDERER PATRICK HAS NEW LEGAL MOVE

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Albert T. Patrick, who is serving a life term in Sing Sing for the murder of William Marsh Rice, has started another legal battle to regain his freedom. He has filed with the clerk of the Court of Appeals a notice of appeal from the decision rendered by the Justice of the Appellate division who dismissed the writ of habeas corpus he argued in Brooklyn last April.

The final battle for liberty will begin sometime in October. Notice of appeal has been prepared by Patrick in his cell.

INDETERMINATE SENTENCE FOR CONVICTS, HIS PLEA

Editor of THE TRIBUNE:
In the Saturday edition of the Enquirer I note this editorial comment:
"The fact that a wife murderer on parole chubbied to death a woman who left him for another, and then took his own life ought to impress upon prison authorities the fact that a parole should be granted with extreme caution. There are a good many people who doubt the expediency of under any circumstances turning loose upon the community a man who has committed a homicide, and especially the heinous crime of wife murder."

"Unless the parole system is guarded, public sentiment will be apt to demand that it be abolished in some cases like the murder of Agnes Brascoso by George Sheehan today. Resolutions were adopted recommending an increase of salaries of supervisory officers and assistant postmasters, system of retirement for superannuated employees, greater discretion to the postmasters in making selections from the eligible list for clerks and carriers, and the deduction of a nominal sum from the salaries of postmasters and employees to create a bonding fund out of which to pay losses for which they are liable under their present bonds."

POLICEMAN SAYS WIFE IS VERITABLE SHREW

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—When John W. Sheehan paroled his wife, swinging his night stick vigorously, as all good policemen do, his wife, Mary, frequently came upon the spot and accused him, using such names as "black" and "villain" with such vehemence that Sheehan was greatly chagrined. While Sheehan was on duty on Sutter street, not long ago, he was suddenly rushed around a corner and beaten by a man who was jumping on a Sutter street car and was compelled to leave his home for one thing or another. This man had been sentenced to a definite number of years—ten, I think. At the end of that term he would have a grand jury to try him for the crime of assault on a Sutter street car. This man had been sentenced to a definite number of years—ten, I think. At the end of that term he would have a grand jury to try him for the crime of assault on a Sutter street car.

The fault lies in the definite sentence, instead of the indeterminate sentence which is a law in many of the more advanced states, and works satisfactorily.

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Postmasters Seek
Many Reforms

TOLEDO, Aug. 21.—Greater latitude to the postmasters in making selections from the eligible list for clerks and carriers was urged by several members in debate at the closing session of the National Association of First-class Postmasters today. Resolutions were adopted recommending an increase of salaries of supervisory officers and assistant postmasters, system of retirement for superannuated employees, greater discretion to the postmasters in making selections from the eligible list for clerks and carriers, and the deduction of a nominal sum from the salaries of postmasters and employees to create a bonding fund out of which to pay losses for which they are liable under their present bonds.

BOOSTERS BUSY AT SEATTLE FAIR

Californians Boom Advantages
of State to Visitors at
Exposition

Great work is being done at the Alaska-Yukon-Pacific exposition in Seattle by the boosters of California. It is freely conceded that this State has the finest individual State exhibit at this fair, and during the exposition hours there is never a time when there is not a large crowd in attendance. Three or four hundred people from California are registered there every day. One of the big features of the booster work is the series of illustrated lectures of which one is given every afternoon.

Distribute Free Booklet

Under the direction of the California State Board of Health, Fred W. Prince, the director of publicity, is distributing freely a booklet on San Francisco. It is a handsomely bound edition of eighty pages, illustrated in most artistic style, and replete in its information regarding San Francisco's business, local and other interesting features. The book is in great demand, not only for its merits as a souvenir, but by hundreds who are interested in everything that pertains to California.

Name San Francisco Day

September 4 has been set aside as San Francisco day at the exposition. Mr. Prince, during the recent irrigation Congress at Spokane, delivered two lectures on San Francisco, illustrated by slides and moving pictures. In a letter to a friend, he says that the greatest of interest is taken everywhere in California, and particularly in the bay cities. He likewise adds that the whole northwest is awakened to the advantages of boosting and that every little town and hamlet is jumping it up for his particular section, and that Californians must not overlook the fact that they must be up and doing all the time.

Kills His Rival in Fight Over Woman

OMAHA, Neb., Aug. 21.—With Lydia Hall, a white woman for whose favor each was striving, acting as umpire, Charles Johnson and Gus Schivere, alias the "Baltimore Kid," a prize fighter, late this afternoon, fought a duel in which Johnson was killed. Schivere snapping, and Johnson in the head before the final count was given.

Former Oregon Editor Dies at Washington

SALEM, Ore., Aug. 21.—Samuel A. Clarke, 32 years of age, for many years historian in the General Land Office Department of the Interior at Washington, died here yesterday. He was at one time editor of the Portland Oregonian and was the author of several historical works dealing with Oregon and recognized as leading authorities.

KID FARMER WINS.

NEW ORLEANS, La., Aug. 21.—After three fast, hard rounds of fighting tonight at the Royal Athletic Club, Referee Schoenfeld gave Kid Farmer the decision over Joe Bedell on a foul.

STREET CAR HITS PEDESTRIAN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—While crossing a street at Fourth at 10:40 tonight, Henry Eastwick of the Golden Eagle Hotel was struck by a car and received a deep wound of the scalp and a possible fracture of the skull. He was treated at the Central Emergency Hospital.

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OCEAN-TO-OCEAN SYSTEM IS MAGNATE'S LIFE DREAM

Great Ambition About to Be Realized

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Harriman controls in the Central West, the Northwest and the Pacific West. Let a train start from this city, operated by one system, dominated by one power, extending to Portland and San Francisco, and the country will observe the most stupendous trans-continental line human ingenuity ever conceived, that modern wealth and modern enterprise ever attempted to encompass.

His Great Object

For ten years that Wall street knows about, this pale and unfed little person has been trying to bring about an unbroken railroad system extending from ocean to ocean. It has come, or is about to come.

In the zenith of manhood he found the way. Time and trouble, the weary hours of studying maps, the concentration of a mind that levels all opposition, he blazed the path. You who have been in the West, or who cursed at the falls the Southern forest at night have brought you—wondering how and when and by what way you were to get out—back where the hominy ovens were, can appreciate the old trapper's scheme of blazing the path.

Always Ready for Trouble

The stroke of a knife blade made upon the scalp of a sapling—here and there—has kept many a man from darkness and death.

Harriman—good person, recognizing mainly the laws of maintenance and mastery—has gone through those few years of his as the fabled gray horse went tearing through the wilderness. And his knife has ever been out, his "bowie" unsheathed.

"Not for Osler"

He wishes to be stabbed. Two years ago he said that if he could find a young man able to take his place in the world of commerce he would gladly retire.

"Not until then?" he was asked. "Not until then," was his laconic answer.

Mr. Harriman is not an old person, as the world of today appreciates and understands and sizes up men over 40. Not for Dr. Osler now is he. Nor for days to come.

Where's the "Young Man?"

But—as was before suggested—were he to be disabled—should he come home a physical cripple—would his dominancy of the railroad system at all be diminished? Or if he or his friends think so, have they found the "young man?" If not—"Well," as Kato said, "If the boy is blue-eyed, what shall we name him?"

Who would Wall street name as the heir of Harriman, sick or well, dead or dying?

Interests are Protected

Harriman at the lever—and, by the way, did you know that he can run a locomotive? And the business interests are safe; away from the "cab" and the cattle would thrive in Texas just as they fattened and leaned and ran away from clouds that looked cyclonic long before Mr. Harriman knew the difference between a lariat and a "loco."

His good health, his dynamic force, his volitive energy have contributed immensely to the nation's marvellous growth. But, returning home even if ill, remaining at home until "it's just time," and there will be no national disease.

Big Men His Friends

Certain capitalists would be glad to see him an object for the corner. They are not the really big men of the country, however. James J. Hill would cross a continent to alleviate the agony of a Harriman ache. George Gould is his friend. Ryan is not. The Western world is.

And the South? Take the Central Railroad property of Georgia. The line penetrates the very heart of the new South. Likewise does the Illinois Central. Both corporations are of the South Southern; of the Harriman way

HARRIMAN CONTROLS THESE RAILROADS

Railroad lines under Harriman control:

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- Southern Pacific.
- Central Pacific.
- Oregon Short Line.
- Illinois Central.
- Central of Georgia.
- Baltimore and Ohio.
- Eric.
- New York Central.
- Big Four.
- Lake Shore.
- Michigan Central.
- Nickel Plate.
- Southern Pacific of Mexico.
- Chicago and Northwestern.
- Total mileage, 45,000 miles.

of doing business. They both may own Senators. Unquestionably they control Congressmen. Doubtless they have inspired the appointment of cabinet officers. Read the list, study their history.

Wonderful Mind Staggers

Southern railroad building is increasing. More lines are projected. Big warehouses are being erected in Atlanta, in Memphis, in New Orleans, in San Francisco by this man Harriman's orders. Will his illness stop the stroke of a single hammer?

The wonders of his mind, the vast and almost incomprehensible projects he has put through stagger human thought. He has entered into great alliances. Once at enmity with Hill, he is now his colleague; once the enemy of all Gould and Gouldism, he is at present their friend.

Rescues Gould Lines

For years George J. Gould was unable to get proper banking facilities and could not raise loans to keep his railroads up to the standard. Since Harriman has taken the matter in charge he has arranged for a reorganization of the Gould lines and for the issue of bonds with which to repair tracks and make needed improvements and extensions.

Invades Mexico With Magic

Harriman is to be elected a director of the Wabash, one of the leading Gould railroads. That is agreed upon. Harriman is building a great system in Mexico, following the west coast to a region rich in minerals and agricultural lands. He has promised to make this coast of Mexico equal to the Riviera. He has opened up a country with railroads that supports a population of nearly a million people, most of whom never before saw a railroad.

Versatility Astounds

He is the leader in a movement to secure through Congress of the United States legislation that will enable the railroads to do business without violating the laws. He claims that it is a physical impossibility to run a railroad without violating a law at present.

Harriman has planned a system of (last ocean liners to operate between San Francisco and New York on the completion of the Panama canal. This line of steamships will work in connection with the trans-continental railroad system he is organizing. It will also send ships to Asia and may be opened under the charter of the Pacific Mail Steamship Company, which is owned by the Southern Pacific Company.

Scope of His "Command"

Harriman personally and through the corporations which he dominates commands more men than ever were commanded by any human being before save, possibly, by Napoleon the Great in wars. More money is in his charge than the Civil war cost.

His tremendous business interests are so organized that he himself says he could die without causing the slightest derangement in the operation of any of the Harriman railroads.

Sick or well, he is on his way home; sick or well, the only man to fear him is the little gambler—that class of men not on the square—the "bats" of Wall street, not the men of Wall street.

NEW EXCURSION TRIP TO OPERATE MONDAY

BERKLEY, Aug. 21.—Berkley's new excursion trip, called "The Loop," will be put in operation next Monday. This excursion will be operated by J. P. Chadwick under the auspices of the Berkeley Chamber of Commerce, and the new feature about the affair will be that visitors to the University City will be given an automobile drive about the city instead of being compelled to walk from place to place as hitherto. All the main points of interest, including the University campus, the Greek Theater and other historical objects will be taken in on the journey.

ESTABLISH "PENNY WEEK" TO AID HOSPITAL CORPS

SAN RAFAEL, Aug. 21.—As a novel way of obtaining money for a charitable purpose, the local Emergency Corps inaugurated "Penny Week," which began today, and during which every person in the city will be asked to aid the organization by donating a "foot of pennies," 1 cent. The Emergency Corps, with a little aid from the city, operates a free ambulance and provides free medical treatment for all emergency cases. The members hope to raise during penny week about \$500.

PINCHOT BARRAGE JUMPS INTO ACTION

Ballinger Controversy Breaks Loose on Closing Day of Convention

FORCE THROUGH MOTION DESPITE ALL OPPOSITION

Robs League of Any Endorsement in Its Work of Protecting Homeseeker

The officers elected for the ensuing year by the Trans-Mississippi Congress are:

President, Colonel Ike T. Pryor, San Antonio, Tex.

First vice-president, A. C. Trumbull, Muskogee, Okla.

Second vice-president, Samuel F. Dutton, Denver, Colo.

Third vice-president, W. F. Baker, Council Bluffs, Ia.

Fourth vice-president, H. A. Jastro, Bakersfield, Cal.

Secretary, Arthur Francis, Cripple Creek, Colo.

Treasurer, N. S. Graham, San Antonio, Tex.

DENVER, Aug. 21.—The Pinchot-Ballinger controversy broke loose today in the Trans-Mississippi Congress, the last day of the convention, just as President Taft and the other peace-makers thought they had securely bottled it up.

The first rumble was heard when the resolutions committee reported favorably on a resolution which read:

"Resolved, that we endorse the purpose of the National Public Domain League with headquarters at Denver, to aid the homeseekers and protectors, and to secure the obtaining of title to the public lands in compliance with the Acts of Congress."

The resolution was introduced by former United States Senator Frank J. Cannon of Utah. Some of the Pinchotites who have been running around with chips on their shoulders for about a week immediately leaped into action under the leadership of Frank C. Gould, who called the committee to order what he termed an insult to an invited guest. Former United States Senator Henry M. Teller, in reply, scored Gould for trying to suppress a debate, as the debate continued bitterly for three hours.

Pinchotites Victors

The Pinchot faction, however, obtained a victory in the adoption of a substitute resolution offered by Gould, which declares:

"Resolved, that we favor the enforcement of the laws of the country to the end that no valid obstruction be allowed to intervene against the full exercise of rights of those who may be entitled to take up land as homeseekers or local miners, and utilize the water rights of a mining claim or any other outcrop."

The effect of the Gould substitute is to rob the league of any endorsement in its work of protecting the prospector, homeseeker or homeseeker. Just previous to the adjournment of this congress this afternoon George E. Green of Peoria, Ill., secretary of the Retail Merchants' Association of Illinois, introduced and succeeded in having passed a resolution calling on the National Congress to reduce the tax on oleomargarine and colored butters from 10 cents to 1 cent per pound.

Water Rights

First in the final report of the committee on water rights was adopted by the congress was one dealing with water rights. In which the demand is made that the laws relating to land and water rights be administered without prejudice to the conditions and in a manner to foster enterprises, public or private, which tend to develop the land and utilize the water rights acquired under the laws of respective states and territories.

Other resolutions adopted favor liberal appropriations for the continuance of work at Arkansas Pass, call for the deepening of the channel at Fort Huachuca, and provide for the improvement of navigable streams in the trans-Mississippi region.

Big Appropriations Asked

Federal appropriations of at least \$1,000,000 annually for rivers and harbors are asked with a total of \$500,000,000 for river and harbor improvement. Industrial education is endorsed.

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Observe Labor Day

More general observance of Labor day is urged. Discriminating duties on tonnage are asked. Regulating the quotation of freight rates in writing to every shipper is demanded.

The resolutions also declare it the sense of the congress that the Federal Government in the acquisition of any water rights or privileges in any state or territory should secure them only by treaty with the laws of that state or territory, governing the use and appropriation of water. It was also urged that the government should have the first opportunity in the development of the natural resources and land of the country. It was also urged to great enterprises beyond the efforts of individual enterprise.

LINER ALAMEDA DOES GREAT WIRELESS WORK

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—The practicality of wireless communication was strikingly shown by the receipt of an aerogram from the Oceanic liner Alameda while that vessel was still 1278 miles from this city, on the way to Honolulu. The message was flashed from the Alameda at 8:20 o'clock Friday night and announced that the steamer would arrive here about noon next Tuesday, schedule time. Seventy or eighty sail and numerous second cabin passengers are on board.

CUTS TAXES OF CORPORATIONS TO NOTHING

Contra Costa Assessor Accused of Giving Two Trusts Virtual Immunity

FARMERS BEAR BRUNT OF SLIM ASSESSMENTS

Six Million Dollars of Valuations on Franchises Are Passed to \$10,000

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 24.—State Controller Nye, to-day flatly accused Assessor H. T. Jones of Contra Costa County of deliberately reducing the assessed value of two corporations from \$5,000,000 to \$10,000.

Yours assumed the franchise of the Pacific State Telephone and Telegraph Company at \$5,000,000 and the franchise of the Union Oil Company at a similar amount.

The telephone company formerly was assessed at \$1,000,000, while the oil company was assessed at Los Angeles before it "moved" to Contra Costa County at \$5,000,000.

Farmers Bear the Burden

After practically wiping the taxes of these two corporations of the rolls, Assessor Jones was compelled to increase the assessment on farm lands and their improvements.

Jones had a bad half hour at the session of the State Board of Equalization.

"The increases you have ordered—about 10 per cent on an average—have increased your assessment roll," said Nye, "by \$2,842,370, whereas the farm property might have been less as it was, and by simply assessing the franchises of two corporations as what they were assessed at in the counties from which they came, you could have increased your total by \$6,000,000."

Assessor Jones gave no clear explanation of why he had placed nominal assessments on the two companies, merely saying that it was a hard matter to get at the value of such franchises.

Failed to Do His Duty

"The San Francisco and Los Angeles assessors seem to have got at it some way," suggested Controller Nye. "If they were right there is a large amount of untaxed property registered in your county, think it was your duty to go after it and get it."

Pursuing his inquisition, the controller pointed out that the telephone company's \$5,000,000 assessment for franchise had been raised last year by the County Board of Equalization to \$10,000,000, although the courts had afterward pronounced the increase illegal because of some technical error in the way it was ordered. Nevertheless Jones again had assessed the franchise this year at the \$5,000 figure.

Turns Batteries on Board

Chairman Brown, of the State Board, seemed inclined to come to Assessor Jones' relief, whereupon Controller Nye directed his batteries against the board, suggesting that it was not doing its full duty in not seeing that the franchise assessments were kept up.

"Well, we can't help it if the companies move around," said Brown, testily. "No, but the board must at least investigate," said Nye.

Controller Nye also submitted figures showing that the insurance carried by certain companies exceeded considerably the amount placed on the insured properties. He instigated the State Board of Equalization to the State Board of Insurance, assessed for \$350,000, and carrying \$425,250 of insurance on buildings and machinery; the California Sugar Refinery, assessed for \$798,704, and carrying insurance on the plant for \$1,400,000.

Two Counties Found Enough

The State Board found two counties yesterday, Mendocino and Marin, for which the assessments made by the local assessors, Mr. A. Thomas, are sufficiently high to preclude the necessity for any increase. In Mendocino it was indicated that the assessment averaged 65 per cent of the actual value of the property, as fixed by the board's appraiser, J. H. Barker.

In Marin county, as indicated by statements made by Assessor P. H. Cochran, Supervisors H. Gowley and M. Burke and the State Board's appraisers, L. A. Lancel and George L. Shearer, the average of the local assessments was about 75 per cent of the actual value of the property.

It was said that the franchise of the Mount Tamalpais Electric Railway had been assessed at \$75,000, and that of the Marin County Water Company at \$10,000.

TRAVELS 60 MILES TO SECURE \$1 FEE

REDDING, Aug. 21.—J. S. White, deputy game warden at Henderson, in the eastern part of Shasta county, traveled sixty miles to Anderson to arrest an Indian boy who had killed a deer without a hunter's license. On account of the boy's age the deputy commissioner let him go after collecting \$1 for the license.

I'm Kaptin Kiddo

Grace G. Wiederseim draws me, Margaret G. Hays writes my stories in the SUNDAY OAKLAND TRIBUNE, beginning August 29.



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JOINT LABOR COMMITTEES PREPARE FOR CELEBRATION

Positions of Honor, Assistant Grand Marshals and Bands of Music Arranged For a Special Meeting.

The joint committee of arrangements for the celebration of Labor Day, composed of representatives of the Central Labor Council and the Building Trades Council of this city, in conjunction with Grand Marshal, who has been chosen as the head of the procession, which will be held in this city that day, has practically completed the program for the great display which the labor unions of this city are to make.

All that now remains to be done is the appointment of four assistant division marshals, about a similar number of members of the guard of honor and the divisions to which they will be assigned.

The last-mentioned duty devolves upon Grand Marshal Ham and will not be completed until probably Tuesday next. The missing members of the guard of honor are to be supplied by representatives from the Building Trades Council and their appointment, together with that of the assistant division marshals, which is yet to be made by two representatives, will also be deferred until Tuesday, when the next meeting of the joint committee will be held.

At the head of the procession, even ahead of the grand marshal and his guard, will march the guard of honor, which latter is to be composed of twenty-four members from the unions of this city, twelve representing each of the labor councils, above referred to.

The guard will march with military precision in two platoons, each containing twelve men. The members will wear Alpine hats and a gold badge which has been specially designed for the occasion. The organization of the guard of honor is complete, and the representatives of the Central Labor Council are concerned and the same is true of the Building Trades Council, with four exceptions. The guard is as follows: William Warren, business agent of the Teamsters' Union; H. D. Rolph, Joe Stanford of the Electrical Workers' Union; No. 283; John Kearney, Gas Workers' Union; J. J. Brennan and E. O'Brien, Retail Store Clerks' Union; C. W. Williams, of the Stationary Firemen's Union; T. W. Buckley, Machinists' Union; No. 848; H. Derolph, E. E. Glen, Blacksmiths' Union; C. Cooney, Bakers' Union; R. M. Dickson, United Teamsters' Union; No. 1667; D. S. McCarthy, Teamsters' Union; No. 377; J. C. Flaherty, House-movers' Union; No. 1; E. G. Bruhlung, Millers' Union; No. 560; Thomas Courtney, Shinglers' Union; No. 1; C. H. Chapman, Painters' Union; No. 127; A. P. Johnson, Carpenters' Union; No. 36; J. F. Harris, Carpenters' Union; No. 1330.

Bands Will March

After the guard will march Silva's Band No. 1. Then will come the grand marshal, R. M. Ham, and his assistants as follows: J. W. Bibby, general organizer of carpenters; A. M. Thompson, business agent of the Central Labor Council; William Warren, business agent of the Teamsters' Union; C. D. Rogers of the Typographical Union; A. W. Feston of the Central Labor Council and J. A. J. Lloyd, business agent of the Plasterers' Union.

The regalia will be as follows for the grand marshal, his aides and the division marshals: Grand marshal, black coat, white trousers, black shoes, blue sash, Alpha hat with plume, buff gloves. The division marshals will wear the same regalia, but the sash of the grand marshal will be red, white and blue; that of the aides, red and blue; and that of the division marshals, red and white.

The division marshals who have been selected by the grand marshal are as follows: C. R. Elder, of the Brick, Tile and Terra Cotta Workers' Union; Dave Wilson, business agent of the District Council of Carpenters; F. H. Pratt, of the Painters' Union and secretary of the State Federation of Labor Unions; J. C. Manning, of the Gas Workers' Union; John Cunningham, of the Teamsters' Union; No. 10; and A. V. Manning, of the Box Makers' Union.

Assistant Marshal

The assistant division marshals who have thus far been appointed, the appointment being made by the grand marshal, are as follows:

First division—H. R. Ballard, Lumber Clerks' Union; P. H. Mosher, Painters' Union.

Second division—William Pessemaker and H. B. Andrews.

Third division—J. P. Gale, Electrical Workers' Union; No. 595, and William Britton, Cement Workers' Union; No. 19.

Fourth division—Appointment deferred until Tuesday.

Fifth division—Appointment deferred until Tuesday.

Sixth division—Joseph Gray and George Cunningham.

The latest arrangements for music for the procession are as follows: There will be nine bands and a drum corps in the procession, of which four bands are to be put out of the general expenses of the day. The cost of the remaining five will be defrayed by a similar number of unions, although the latter musical organizations have been hired through the instrumentality of the committee on music.

Three of the bands will consist of sixteen pieces and six will have twelve pieces each. Four bands will head divisions. These will be the following: Carpenters No. 36, Silva's Band No. 2, with 12 pieces; Painters' Union No. 127, with 12 pieces; Mill Men's Union No. 127, with 12 pieces; and the head of the third division will be Miller's band of 12 pieces, and at the head of the fourth division will be Glacemitt's band with 12 pieces.

The unions which have hired bands to play at the right of their line are the following: Carpenters No. 36, Silva's Band No. 2, with 12 pieces; Painters' Union No. 127, with 12 pieces; Mill Men's Union No. 127, with 12 pieces; and the head of the third division will be Miller's band of 12 pieces, and at the head of the fourth division will be Glacemitt's band with 12 pieces.

The route of the procession will be as follows: East on Tenth street to Clay, thence to Eighth, to Washington, to Fourteenth, to Clay, to San Pablo avenue, to Broadway, to Seventh, where there will be a counter-march to Fourteenth, thence to Telegraph avenue, to Nineteenth, to San Pablo avenue, where the procession will be disbanded.

The unions will pass in review of the grand marshal at the flagpole at the eye of the intersection of Clay and Broadway, where also will be stationed the judges who are to pass upon the merits of the bands in line, which are to enter in competition for the several prizes which have been offered. The judges will be J. Bunker, president of the Building Trades Council; A. M. Thompson, agent for the Central Council, and Mayor Morrison. There will be an entirely different formation of the line. Formerly, the unions of the two labor councils, the Building Trades Council and the Central Labor Council will alternate, the right of an equal number of divisions will be given to each council. This formation was decided upon by the joint committee of arrangements and the committee in this respect.

It is the intention of Grand Marshal Ham to start the procession at 2:30 o'clock, for the purpose of avoiding interference with the city parade, which takes place on the same day.

In the afternoon, there will be a grand picnic in the Alameda Park, among the features will be an oration by Clarence Darrow, the distinguished labor orator from the East. No is said to be one of the most eloquent speakers in the country.

WHITEHEAD REID WILL LOSE JOB

Present Ambassador to England Is Not Popular With Nation's Chief Executive

BEVERLY, Mass., Aug. 21.—Whitehead Reid, United States ambassador to Great Britain, is coming to Beverly next week. It is worthy of note that he doesn't come at the invitation of President Taft. Miss Boardman has invited the ambassador to spend a few days at the Rosewood Place estate early next week and it is altogether likely that during his stay here the ambassador will see the president. If he does he will learn directly what has been pretty broadly hinted heretofore—that his tenure of the British post will continue only until the president succeeds in finding Mr. Reid's successor. It can be stated positively and on good authority that the resignation tendered by Mr. Reid upon the inauguration of President Taft has been accepted by the latter, to take effect immediately upon the nomination of his successor.

That the president means to send a successor to Mr. Reid as soon as he can get one was evidenced in the tender of the appointment to former President Eliot of Harvard. The publication was given to that tender and refusal—Secretary of State Knox being the medium of communication with this public, is regarded in administration circles as sufficient notice to Mr. Reid that he is not to be reappointed.

Would Retain Job

Stories have reached here that Mr. Reid was coming back to the United States, to use what influence he can command to secure his retention as ambassador to England; but there was the best of reasons for saying that such a movement could not succeed. There is but one chance that Mr. Reid will be retained. That chance rests on the inability of President Taft to find a successor to Mr. Reid.

There are no special reasons why Mr. Reid should be retained. He was not, by any means, a cordial supporter of Mr. Taft, nor was his newspaper in the last Presidential campaign. Mr. Reid is seeking after the inauguration of Mr. Taft into the White House, and Mr. Reid has been what President Roosevelt once contemptuously referred to as a "dilettante diplomat." Mr. Reid has represented the "superior" classes of the United States and has been in the habit of being more in sympathy with the ordinary average American citizen. A man is wanted in brief, of the simple, unostentatious manners of an American gentleman—a type something like Dr. Hill at Berlin.

The Franklin Street Franchise

The matter of permitting trains to run over streets in the heart of a city is not merely one of personal interest to the property-owners along such contemplated right-of-way. It involves a principle of city-wide interest.

The opposition to the granting of a franchise on Franklin street is in no sense a question of antagonism to the Southern Pacific Company. It deals directly with the policy of permitting the destruction of the city's property values in order to build up a railroad's business.

It is eminently proper to make very generous concessions to railroads for development purposes because the benefits are mutual, but no such argument can apply to the Franklin street franchise. It is in no sense a development project, will bring no new people to this city and opens up no new territory.

The mayor's declaration of unequivocal opposition to the running of long trains on Twelfth street is commendable and in line with a progressive public policy. All that the mayor has said regarding Twelfth street applies with equal force to Franklin street and it will be a distinctly retrograde movement to allow the creating of "dead lines" on either thoroughfare.

The fact that we, together with many others, own property fronting on the route of the proposed franchise is not by any means the sole motive for our strong protest. It naturally follows that a man works harder when his own house is on fire, but he is indeed a poor citizen who would not go to the assistance of his neighbor whose home might be in flames. That is just how the protestants feel regarding this franchise. It is not their fight alone; they are fighting against the establishment of a highly dangerous and destructive precedent.

Franklin street is but one block east of Broadway and any extension of business eastward must necessarily be on Franklin street which is even now being magnificently improved with that very purpose in view.

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CONVICT YOUNG OF MANSLAUGHTER

Jury Finds Verdict in Favor of Man Accused of Murdering Policeman

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—James O. Young, who has been on trial for a week, charged with the murder of Policeman W. H. Helms, was found guilty of manslaughter today by a jury in Judge Dunne's department of the Superior Court. The jury recommending the young prisoner to the mercy of the court. Young's counsel, J. J. Blane, emerged from the jury box, the convicted man rushed up to him and shook hands with him, saying, "I am glad that you stuck out right along. Young was charged with murder, and the jury, after deliberating for a day and a half, returned a verdict of manslaughter, which was a part of the compromise."

Mrs. Anna Young, the mother, was apparently satisfied with the verdict, although she expressed the belief a few minutes before the jury returned that a verdict of not guilty would be brought in.

For the murder of Helms Thomas O. Young, the older brother of James, is now serving the life term in San Quentin. At James' trial the defense attorneys insisted that James and his brother were together when Helms was killed, and that James handed a revolver to Thomas, saying, "There, Tom, take this; you may need it."

The maximum sentence which can be imposed upon James Young is ten years, and with good behavior he will be credited with a three-year shortening of sentence.

FALL FROM HORSE MAY PROVE FATAL

MODESTO, Cal., Aug. 21.—Amadeo Richetto, a Swiss-Italian milkman on the ranch of Jake Miran, was thrown from a horse while riding a break-neck pace through the streets late last night and is still unconscious at the County Hospital. Dr. P. R. Delapelle attended the injured man and stated today that his recovery was doubtful. His fall on the pavement sent a deep gash in the head about four inches long and caused a severe concussion of the brain. Richetto came here from San Francisco about four months ago.

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PINCUS' SLAYER SCENTED TROUBLE

Reiterates Statement That Dive-Keeper Dogged Him and Menaced His Life

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—William Maxwell, who killed Edward Pincus, the dive-keeper, on Friday afternoon near Mason and Market streets, will plead self defense. He appeared today before Police Judge Weller.

T. J. Crocker, his attorney, asked that as the coroner's office has set the inquest into the killing for Wednesday morning, the case be continued until Thursday and that the bond be filed in the meantime. The court consented.

"I am sorry for what has happened," Maxwell said, "but there was no way to avoid it. It is pretty hard on a man with a family to get into a scrape such as this."

Shooting Unavoidable

"The shooting was unavoidable. I shot in self defense. I am confident of being acquitted. Pincus hounded me to death. I know when we met yesterday that the shooting would follow."

Several men appeared in the corridors of the Hall of Justice during the proceedings and declared that they were ready to furnish bail for Maxwell as high as \$20,000 as soon as it was fixed in any amount.

Samuel Fitzpatrick, the prize-fight promoter, who was talking to Maxwell at the time of the affair, also made a written statement today. He said:

"Pincus and Maxwell met us and then stopped. Maxwell remained to me."

Maxwell Scents Trouble

"That fellow Pincus has a gun and there is going to be trouble."

"I noticed that Maxwell turned very pale. The next moment Pincus started toward us. I saw Pincus reach for his revolver. I tried to get into a doorway to avoid being shot."

"While my back was turned I heard the first shot. I thought that Maxwell had been shot."

"I next saw Pincus running away and Maxwell following him."

KEEP WEATHER ON TAP IN PARK

Government Installs Recording Instrument in Union Square, San Francisco

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Self-recording weather instruments are to be installed by the United States Weather Bureau in a kiosk now being constructed in Union square, near Stockton and Post streets, and when they are in position it will be possible for the curious public to determine at any time the conditions of the weather for the preceding 24 hours.

There will also be on exhibition at all times in the kiosk files of local weather records, covering all previous time since a weather bureau was first established in San Francisco.

Will Be Seven Feet High

The kiosk when completed will be seven feet in height and four feet square. There will be a recessed window 30 inches wide opening out on each side, in one of which will be displayed the weather instruments. In the other three windows will be records of previous weather in San Francisco, with which comparisons with present time can always be made at a glance.

More important among the instruments to be placed in the kiosk will be one which will at all times show the humidity of the atmosphere, and various changes that have taken place since the instrument was adjusted at the noon before. There will also be a self-recording rain gauge and thermometer.

Every day at noon a man from the local weather office will visit the kiosk and make the necessary adjustments. The kiosk will be of ornamental design and painted white.

McAfee Doubts Interest

Alexander G. McAfee, who has charge of the local weather bureau, stated tonight that it had been asserted by many that the records taken of the weather from the top of the Merchants' Exchange building would not harmonize with any taken on the level of the streets. When the kiosk is in working order, Mr. McAfee stated, it will be found that there is but little difference in the records found in it and those obtained at the top of the Merchants' Exchange building.

Kiosks have been placed in a number of other large cities where they have met with much popular favor, but whether one will be appreciated as much in San Francisco, where the weather is nearly always temperate, is doubted by Mr. McAfee.

NARROWLY ESCAPES SERIOUS ACCIDENT

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Almeron Skinkle, Jr., of 3730 Clay street, narrowly escaped a serious accident today at Sutter and Montgomery streets when his automobile collided with a lamp post. Skinkle was driving his car down Sutter street and attempted to turn into Montgomery. The wheels skidded and the car against the lamp post breaking it off close to the ground. The glass front of the machine was shattered. Skinkle was not injured.

SEVERE DECLINES AFFECT STOCKS DURING THE WEEK

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The week on the Stock Exchange was marked by very heavy and severe declines, resulting largely from liquidation, particularly in the Harbinger issues and affiliated properties. The market was reactionary throughout, but it was not until reports concerning Mr. Harbinger's health gained general currency that prices declined precipitately.

Union Pacific has declined about fifteen points and some others five to eight points. General news bearing upon the financial situation was otherwise favorable. Industrial, commercial and agricultural conditions showing steadily forward save for the continued drought in the corn belt. Railroad earnings reflect the improvement in all lines, with steady reduction of the car surplusage. Money is abundant and in light demand.

Oakland Girl Becomes Bride of San Franciscan at Noon Wedding



MRS. HENRY J. HOBSON (Nee Miss Celeste Amedee), Who was Married at Noon Today.

The wedding of Miss Celeste Amedee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward C. Amedee of this city, and Henry J. Hobson of San Francisco, was solemnized at noon yesterday at the home of the bride's parents, 854 Henry street. Rev. Father Sanjour of St. Patrick's Church officiated. The relatives were the only witnesses to the ceremony, which was followed by a wedding breakfast.

Mrs. Hobson is a native of San Francisco, where she was educated in the public schools. She has made her home on this side of the bay since the earthquake of this city, and Henry J. Hobson, both sides of the bay. She is a petite brunette of many accomplishments.

Henry J. Hobson claims France as the land of his birth, and for the past eight years he has been a government clerk on the transport Logan. He has made his home in San Francisco.

After a brief honeymoon trip, Mr. and Mrs. Hobson will reside in this city.

"SWEET SIXTEEN" EVADES THE LAW

Girl Under Age Outwits Mother and Will Be Married to Man of Her Choice

Tuesday—Went to marriage license office and was refused license because of wife's youth.

Wednesday—Consulted Attorney Gerald Halsey to see how law could be evaded. Halsey told bride to have a legal guardian appointed.

Thursday—Mrs. Rose Hamilton, by order of court, gained custody of her sister, the bride, and the license is issued. Today the couple will be married.

If mamma objects to your marriage to a man she dislikes and when you try to get a license because you are too young, what can you do? When you are only sweet sixteen your mother must consent to the marriage or the law will not give you a license.

Now in order that her mother should not learn of her intended marriage and at the same time place her in a position to obtain a marriage license without committing perjury, pretty 16-year-old Mamie Gardner of Los Angeles gave the custody of herself into the hands of her married sister, Mrs. Rose Hamilton of 353 Third street.

With her fiancée, Christopher Burdick, route agent on an evening paper, Miss Gardner went to the County Clerk's office determined to obtain a license to wed. Mamma objected to Burdick, Cupid Munson of the Marriage License Bureau told Miss Gardner that she must either be of age or have her mother's consent. So Burdick took his bride to Attorney Halsey's office and so told them that a guardian for Miss Gardner, appointed by court, could consent to the marriage. Mrs. Hamilton was available as the guardian, and with her assistance the couple evaded mother. They will be married today.

FARMERS PROTEST AGAINST SMELTER

REDDING, Aug. 21.—Two hundred farmers and prospectors in that part of Shasta county where it is contended that the smelters at Coram and Redding are poisoning the vegetation, held a mass meeting of protest at Anderson on Friday evening.

The Farmers' Council of the Farmers' Protective Association, a union of several organizations of similar nature in the several districts, McCoy Fitzgerald of Redding was elected president and Geo. A. Latham of Olinde secretary.

A resolution was adopted that a committee be appointed to confer with the smelter managers to see what could be done by them to abate the damage being done by smoke. There was a strong manifestation on the part of all that the smoke question be solved without resorting to the courts.

HAS BEEN ODD FELLOW FOR HALF A CENTURY

PEZALA, Aug. 21.—A. A. Reiff, a prominent farmer of the Greatville district, his fifty-fifth anniversary as a member of the local Odd Fellows, on his half-century anniversary, presented him with a jewel of the order.

Intense Interest

has been aroused by the announcement that Benjamin Fay Mills will give his opinions concerning the Bible this evening at Pythian Castle. The doors will be open at 7:15 and those desiring seats should go early.

We Guarantee Our Eyeglasses. Prices reasonable. Citron's, 9641 Washington street.

CURES ECZEMA QUICKLY

New Discovery Has Revolutionized the Treatment of Ekin Diseases.

Nothing in the history of medicine has ever approached the success of the marvelous skin remedy known as Eskin, which it is safe to say, has cured more cases of eczema and skin diseases than any remedy ever before known for these ills. The success of posium is not at all surprising when it is considered that even a very small quantity applied to the skin stops itching immediately and cures chronic cases in two weeks. The very worst cases of eczema, as well as acne, herpes, tetter, piles, salt rheum, rash, crusted humors, scaly scalp and every form of itch, yield to it readily. Eruptions, such as pimples, red noses, muddy and inflamed skin disappear almost immediately when posium is applied, the complexion being cleared overnight.

Every druggist keeps both the 50-cent size (for minor troubles) and the \$2.00 size (for severe cases). The \$2.00 size and either of these may be obtained in Oakland at The Owl Drug Co., as well as other reliable drug stores. But no one is even asked to purchase posium without first obtaining an experimental package which will be sent by mail, free of charge, upon request, to the Eskin Laboratories, 10 West Twenty-fifth street, New York City.

WATER CARNIVAL FOR SAN RAFAEL

Marin County Residents Prepare for Grand Celebration of Municipal Ownership

SAN RAFAEL, Aug. 12.—Commencing Monday the town of San Rafael will be supplied with water by the municipal distribution system.

Three tanks—one on a 370 foot level, one on a 400-foot level and the other on a 225-foot level—are now complete. Two other new tanks will be completed some time next week.

Tom Englebert Roberts will flush the pipes and tanks on the upper level and will use the waste water in flushing the sewers and sprinkling the streets.

The distribution of water to consumers is so arranged that the water pressure will not be more than thirty-five pounds, nor will the water be pumped to the water tower more than fifty pounds. Engineer Roberts states that the canners for water report that owners of wells have been placing great value on their water, some as high as \$2000, and that he will recommend to the water board of equalization that the wells be assessed.

Last Wednesday the contest for queen of the municipal water supply and Admission Day celebration began and will be very interesting as well as add to the funds for the celebration.

As yet very few votes have been cast, but from all appearances it promises to be one of the most lively ever held in Marin county. The friends of such canners and like candidates are formulating an active and aggressive campaign. They are selecting their lieutenants, and the committee has decided to hold the business houses and a ballot box at the office.

As a convenience to voters who wish to cast many votes, the committee has issued cards containing one, five and ten votes. Miss Alice Breen of the committee is following her are Miss Mary Loring, 21, Mrs. Florence Weaver, 15, Mrs. Delos Noble, 14, Mrs. J. H. Moore, 13, Mrs. C. H. Peters and Miss Anna Teixeira the with 3, and Mrs. Lawrence 1.

The Marin county municipal water and supply committee is working hard these days for the grand celebration to be held here on September 1.

Mrs. W. C. Beattie, Mrs. W. L. Cobb, Mrs. G. H. Moore, Mrs. W. Fleming and Mrs. Bluch Broderick have been added to the social committee, and the following have signified their intention of taking part in the parade: The veteran firemen of San Rafael, San Rafael, Mill Valley, Ross, and the Board of Supervisors of Marin county; also led men of Infantry No. 2, G. O. stationed at San Rafael, and the Order of Foresters.

One more feature of the day was added to the program, a basketball game between the young ladies of the Marin High School and a team from some other school will take place, and a \$5 trophy will be offered as a prize to the winners.

MISSOURIAN BRINGS A BIG CARGO FROM EAST

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—The cargo of the Missouriian, arriving today from Salina Cruz, represented the cargoes of the steamers American and Luckenbach, from New York to Puerto Mexico, on the eastern end of the Tehuantepec railroad, and was twenty-eight days from the Eastern metropolis to this city. In the cargo was 400 tons of freight taken to the isthmus direct from Europe.

The Missouriian brought a steamway named Charles Peterson from Salina Cruz. He was found to be afflicted with trachoma, and may be sent back to the Mexican port, where he had left a foreign ship.

We Correct Defective Eyesight with the best of glasses. Citron's, 9641 Washington street.

MEET AFTER TWENTY-THREE YEARS

Chicago Merchant Enjoys Re-union With His Brother, a Prominent Oakland Shoe Dealer, After a Lapse of a Quarter of a Century.



FRED STERNBERG, Chicago. MYER STERNBERG, Oakland.

Twenty-three years ago two young men—brothers, left Cleveland, Ohio, to seek their fortune in the great West. One headed for California and its wonderful possibilities, the other intent on embarking in business in the hustling city of Chicago.

Since then the two brothers have never met until this week when Myer Sternberg, the well-known shoe merchant of Washington street, persuaded his brother, Fred, to continue his journey West from Colorado, where he had gone from Chicago on a business trip.

This event marks the reunion of these two brothers who since their separation have each become uniformly successful in the business world. Mr. Fred Sternberg is now one of the leading wholesale manufacturers of clothing in Chicago.

His visit to Oakland marks his first visit to California, which he is enjoying to his heart's content. He has been the motif for many pleasant family gatherings and auto rides in the few days he has continued to spend with his brother in this city.

ELOPING COUPLE LAUGH AT HUNGER

Visit Cheap Show on the Last Dollar Between Them and Starvation

SAN DIEGO, Aug. 21.—Despite the fact that they had less than a dollar between them and starvation, C. H. Kerr, alias Clyde C. Howard, who came around the Horn as a sailor with the Atlantic coast liner, and Bertha de Jarnett, 15-year-old daughter of a prominent Santa Paula resident, could not resist the temptation and spent part of their meager means in the enjoyment of a cheap show. When their few cents were gone they confessed they did not know where more was to come from.

Kerr and Miss de Jarnett were arrested when they emerged from the theater, upon advice from the Los Angeles police, which charge Kerr with a felony. Kerr and the girl ran away from home last Thursday morning.

YOUNG GROOM IS ACCUSED OF FORGERY

MODESTO, Cal., Aug. 21.—William Gilbert, aged 19, whose elopement with sixteen year old Myrtle Valpey, and their subsequent separation by the girl's parents, has been the talk of the county for the past ten days, was arrested today by Sheriff W. S. Dingley on a forgery charge. The warrant was sworn out by Joseph Orgini, proprietor of the Highway house on the Crocker Landing road, between this city and Newman. Orgini claims that Gilbert is the party who represented himself as A. C. Ross tendered a check at his saloon on August 6, just three days before Gilbert's elopement with Myrtle Valpey. He alleges the check was made out to Ross, signed by B. F. Sanders, a wealthy rancher of Westport. Sanders repudiated the check and Orgini declares he will prosecute Gilbert.

The young man is now in the county jail.

Revived at Hospital

He was taken to the Receiving Hospital and revived and kept there until yesterday morning, when his son and daughter called and took him home. When he left the hospital he seemed to have entirely recovered, but he shook his head sadly as he said good-bye to Steward Platt and remarked that he knew he would never survive the shock of this last illness.

Davis was perhaps the oldest newsboy in the West, and certainly the oldest in the bag regions. Of recent years his voice had failed him, and not being able to call out his wares he resorted to a placard which hung around his neck, and on which was the following appeal: "PLEASE BUY A PAPER."

"Old age—87 years. Please buy a paper from me."

The corner of Eighth and Broadway is where Davis always made his headquarters during the morning and evening hours that he sold the papers. It was his custom to wander up or down the street for a block or two, but he would always return to his station, and was there that he met nearly all of his regular customers, and he had many of them. It is understood that besides earning a comfortable living for himself in his occupation, he succeeded in saving a considerable sum of money.

At the Toggery

Unequaled Value Giving In Newest Fall Suits

Here are garments that are the very top-notch of the garment maker's skill, under-priced right at the beginning of the season. We ordered these suits very early, when manufacturers were glad to get work, that's why we can offer such remarkable inducements.

\$17.50 Suits—A Great Opportunity

You cannot equal these without paying at least \$7.50 more. The striking design of this smart, strictly tailored style will instantly impress any woman who wishes an attractive and stylish suit. It's made of a good quality broadcloth, coat 42 inches long, lined with guaranteed satin. The very latest full skirt, with cluster pleats, in colors of black, navy, green, brown and smoke. Alterations free.

Swell Novelty Suits for Fall \$27.50 to \$50

High-class, strictly man-tailored suits—each the embodiment of quality, style, fit and workmanship.

Fall Suits \$15—Formerly \$27.50 to \$32.50

These are late summer and early fall styles. Several new lines have been added, including 45-inch long coat suits, in novelty stripes and broadcloth suits for misses and small ladies, \$15.00. Alterations free.

Newest Tight-Fitting Covert Coats for fall, \$14.00, \$17.50 to \$40.00.

New Black Broadcloth Coats, \$10.00, \$15.00 to \$40.00.

New Fall Capes, \$7.50, \$10.00, \$15.00.

Newest Skirts, \$6.50 to \$25.00.

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White Muslin Petticoats

At one-fourth to one-third less than regular prices.

White Muslin Petticoats, cut extra full, well made, deep flounces of tucks, laces and embroideries. Special values at 95c, \$1.15, \$1.48, \$1.95, \$2.95

Combination Garments

The popular Undergarment, made of dainty nainsook or crossbar muslins, with lace or embroidery insertion and edgings; corset cover and drawers or corset cover and skirt combinations. Special at

\$1.25, \$1.75, \$1.95, \$2.50

Muslin Gowns

Specially Priced to Reduce Our Stock.

Made of best muslin, chemise or high neck styles, trimmed with lace or embroidery edging and insertion. Special values at

65c, 95c, \$1.25, \$1.50

Great Sale of Fine Embroideries

Ten thousand yards of the finest Cambric, Nainsook and Swiss Embroideries direct from the manufacturer at less than his cost. Among this lot is Embroidery Edgings, Insertions, Bands, Gallons, Corset Covering and All-overs, in tucking and all-embroidered effects. Pretty patterns worked well on best materials.

75c Embroideries for 35c yard

\$2.00 Embroideries for 89c yard

\$3.50 Embroideries for \$1.25 yard

Special Sale of New Silks

LOUISINES

New All-silk Louisines in Pekin and Monotone stripes; all new colors and effects, especially adapted for waists or dresses. They come in all combinations of reseda, olive, Copenhagen, turquoise, brown, mouse, old rose, helio, pink, mauve, cream and grey; a good value at 85c—On sale Monday,

yard 58c

PRINCESS SATIN.

All-silk Princess Satin, 27 inches wide, in all the up-to-date colors; an excellent value for \$1.00. On sale Monday,

yard 75c

SALE OF YARD WIDE SILKS AT SPECIAL PRICES.

Satin Regence, Bengaline, Peau de Soie, Peau de Cygne, Satin Duchesse, Taffeta and Messaline, all marked at prices that are very much below their regular values.

MOIRE SILKS.

We carry a complete assortment of Moire Silks in black and colors.

New Trimmings and Laces

Never before have we prepared as now in these departments which now beam with every new style imported direct from the style marts of the world. They are here for your inspection. Jet Bands, All-overs and Garnitures, Beaded Trimming, Gold Laces and Bands, Gold Nets, Cloth of Gold, Venise Laces, Real Crochet Laces, and in fact, every necessary for your Fall gown.

Tailored Suits \$32.50

Beautiful Tailored Models, in serges, homespuns and the new, wide Wale serges; fitted long coat effects with panned pleated skirts. All the latest colorings of navy, grey, smoke, raisin, catawba, wistaria and brown.

Specially Priced for Monday, \$32.50

Ladies' and Children's Sweaters

Our Fall line of Sweaters have arrived; all styles are shown, including the long coat effects; the colors are red, white and grey; also combinations of colors:

Misses' Sweaters at \$1.50

Special Ladies' Sweaters at \$2.45

Coat Sweaters from \$5.95 to \$9.50

Millinery Department

The new Fall Millinery is arriving. New Feathers, Shapes, Trimmings and Ornaments in all the shades of raisin, aeroplane, mustard, rose wood, ashes of rose, leather, army blue, etc.

Second Shipment of Plumes 25 Per Cent Off

Another shipment of Ostrich Plumes have arrived and will be placed on sale Monday at 25 per cent discount. This will be your last chance to secure Ostrich Plumes at this low price.

Monday Specials in Household Department

81x90 Ready-made Double Bed Sheets; extra fine quality; regular 90c value—Special price, each 72c

45x36 Ready-made Pillow Cases to match above sheets; reg. 25c value 19c—Special price, each 19c

72-inch Bleached All-linen Table Damask; nice assortment of patterns; regular \$1.00 value—Special price, yard 79c

22x22 Bleached All-linen Table Napkins, in dots and other pretty designs; reg. \$2.50 value—Special price, dozen \$1.79

18x36 Extra Heavy Union Huck Towels, in red or white borders; regular 15c value—Special price, each 12 1/2c

20x40 Extra Heavy Union Huck Towels, in red or white borders; regular 20c value—Special price, each 16 3/4c

Railroad Men Fear Car Shortage

The rapid revival of business all over the country, and the bumper crops now assured to farmers everywhere, with splendid prices, will, it is feared, produce a car famine such as has never before been experienced. The country has been operating on an economical basis as a result of the depression which confronts them is serious indeed.

The large Eastern car factories are running on full time to supply the demand for rolling stock, which is coming in, not only from every American railroad, but also from Japan, China and the Philippines.

Heretofore there have been no shops on the Pacific Coast prepared to handle the car-building business, except a small plant at Seattle and the W. L. Holman Company, in San Francisco, the latter having been principally engaged in passenger-car building. This condition has been all the more strange because the lumber which is used for car building comes from the Pacific Coast, and a local plant would have the advantage of full 50 per cent on the saving of freight charges on this item alone. Besides that every car which is brought from the East has to pay from \$90 to \$137.50 in freight toll for being hauled, the lower charge being made when the railroad hauling the car is allowed to fill it up with freight and get the freight charges on the contents as additional income.

With over 500 roads tributary to the Pacific Coast territory this field of industrial operation seems most inviting and a group of local capitalists have organized the Pacific Car and Foundry Company, which will proceed to establish

car-building plants at Richmond, California, and at Vancouver, Washington. They have already taken over the W. L. Holman Company plant here and will continue to operate that plant as the passenger car department. The other two plants will be devoted to freight car and locomotive building.

The tremendous success achieved by almost every car-building plant in the East with the added advantages afforded by the difference in freight charges and the rapidly growing market for the product would all indicate that the location of such a plant on the Pacific Coast will be most profitable.

The Pullman Company starting in the early eighties with a capitalization of about \$20,000,000 has increased its capital by dividends to \$109,000,000 and pays on this capital about 11 per cent. The American Car and Foundry Company has a total business in 1907 of \$100,000,000, which shows the enormous possibilities of this business, both as to volume and profit.

A limited amount of stock of the Pacific Car and Foundry Company is being offered for subscription at par value, \$10 per share. This is a very exceptional investment opening and the entire amount of the issue will probably be quickly subscribed; the fact that the company is already established and earning dividends being one which appeals to the conservative investor, who does not want to put money into experiments.

Subscriptions for this stock will be received by the

Pacific Promotion & Development Co., Exclusive Fiscal Agents, SUITES 359-371 MONADNOCK BLDG., SAN FRANCISCO.

MASONS WILL CONFER DEGREE

Royal Arch Chapter of This City Will Conduct Impressive Ceremonies Aug. 25

Masons of the Oakland Royal Arch, chapter No. 36, will confer the Royal Arch degree Wednesday evening, August 25, at Masonic temple. Guests of the chapter will be the officers and members of the California Chapter of San Francisco, Dordic Chapter of San Leandro, Alameda Chapter and Alcatraz Chapter of West Oakland.

The degree candidates will be from Dordic, Alameda and Oakland Chapters.

The conferring of degrees will be followed by a banquet at which there will be addresses by prominent members of the order.

GIVES TROUT DINNER TO MANY FRIENDS

After spending a couple of months at Lake Tahoe, Mr. and Mrs. Olat Anderson returned to their home on Twenty-third avenue Thursday and gave a genuine Tahoe trout dinner to a number of invited guests. The delicious speckled beauties had been caught the day previous by Mr. Anderson.

Singing and playing cards closed the evening's enjoyment. The invited guests were: Mr. and Mrs. James Telford, Police Sergeant Roy L. Curtis and wife, W. T. Valberg, William Hansen, Hilmar Olsen, Miss Helen Wichberg, Captain Johnson and wife.

Garbed as Hindu, Woman Will Bare Life of Oriental



MRS. ABBY SNELL BURNELL, who will impersonate a high caste Hindu woman.

At a joint union meeting of the Young Men's Christian Association and the Young Women's Christian Association to be held Friday night in Maple Hall, Mrs. Abby Snell Burnell, who passed five years of her life in Southern India and who has made a study of the Oriental people, will impersonate in a monologue, a high caste Hindu woman.

This story which she relates is called "Menarche." It is said to be a graphic and realistic portrayal of life in India. As Menarche, she tells of her childhood, marriage and of the shame and disgrace which fell upon her because for a long time she bore her husband no sons. Finally a boy was born. The climax of the story is reached when this boy, grown to manhood, graduates from college and breaks his caste.

In depicting this character she wears the complete Hindu costume, which consists of a "saree" made of eight yards of shaded purple and red silk with a border of gold woven in the material.

Since Mrs. Burnell has been impersonating the Hindu character she recited two Hindu stories two times in different cities within the bounds of the Atlantic and Pacific oceans.

It has been heard in churches and women's clubs. She gave "Menarche" and "Chundra Lela" at two parlor meetings in the homes of Miss Helen Gould, both at New York city and Irvington.

Mrs. Burnell is a descendant of John Abbot and Francis and an old New England stock. Her ability as a platform speaker has been inherited from her grandfather, who was Dr. Thomas Snell, who for sixty-three years was a minister at North Brookfield, Mass. She is a cousin of William Cullen Bryant.

N. S. G. W. PLAN THEATER BENEFIT

Athens Parlor to Hold Fifth Annual Affair at Orpheum Monday Night

The fifth annual theater benefit of Athens Parlor, No. 136, Native Sons, will be held next Monday night at the Orpheum Theater in this city.

The special feature of the evening will be an address by Congressman Joseph R. Knowland, grand president of the order.

Knowland has but recently returned from Washington and it is expected he will have many interesting matters to discuss. This is his first public appearance since his return.

The managers of the Orpheum Theater have agreed to produce a first class program for that evening. It has been said it will surpass anything since the opening of the playhouse.

The committees in charge of the party are as follows:

Executive committee — C. F. Garrison, chairman; F. J. Dalling, R. B. Crossman, E. T. Blinn, C. F. Valder, C. F. Corrigan.

Press committee — E. F. Biven, E. A. Norton, C. C. Colman, C. A. Reiser, L. H. Rewig.

Reception committee — F. J. Dalling, J. P. Fleberling, L. J. Jackson, D. L. Wilson Jr.

Arrangements committee — C. F. Valder, J. S. Biven, Dr. F. C. Kleeman, E. J. Tillman, Claude Fairchild, Vincent Durfee.

Decorations committee — C. F. Corrigan, George Reiff, F. W. Flanagan, L. W. Anderson.

Advertising committee — R. E. Crossman, George Robinson, L. J. Dalling, H. R. Williams, Eugene Stackler.

CLUB SUPPORTS MAYOR'S REQUEST FOR NEW CARS

ALAMEDA, Aug. 21.—The action of Mayor W. H. Hoy in demanding closed cars from the Oakland Traction Company for the city of Alameda and a better improvement club at its regular meeting at Municipal Park last night.

The club is rapidly increasing its membership, ten members having been admitted into the organization a week ago Friday night and one new member having been added to the list last night.

It was decided to hold a mass meeting next month to discuss the subway tunnel project, when prominent men will be asked to speak on the subject now occupying the attention of all the improvement organizations in this city and Oakland.

Summer Time Best for Renewing Hair

(From Chicago Examiner.)

In riding over the city on the elevated roads at this time of the year one will see hundreds of heads over back porches exposed freshly washed hair to the sun. Bathing the hair in the summer sun after a good shampoo is both delightful and beneficial and those who regularly take advantage of this pleasure, in the warm morning sun, usually have the healthiest hair.

I know of some women who take this sun bath all through the year. In winter time they use a room fully exposed to the sun. After the hair is dry, apply betts quinal to the scalp, rubbing it well in. This gives nourishment, which fresh-washed hair demands and is sufficiently invigorating to create new hair.

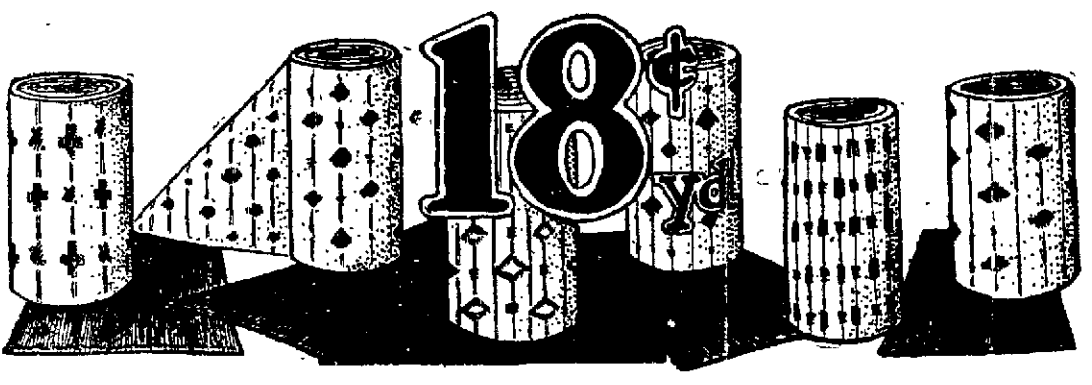
Benjamin Fay Mills

will tell what he thinks of the Bible this evening at 7:45 at Pythian Castle. No seats reserved for any one.

The Great Popularity

and the numerous requests of prospective customers—forces us again to offer this week the remarkable specials that created such a furore among furniture buyers. Quality is the true test of cheapness and the public has learned to know Busey is the pacemaker in low prices.

ALL THE CREDIT YOU WANT

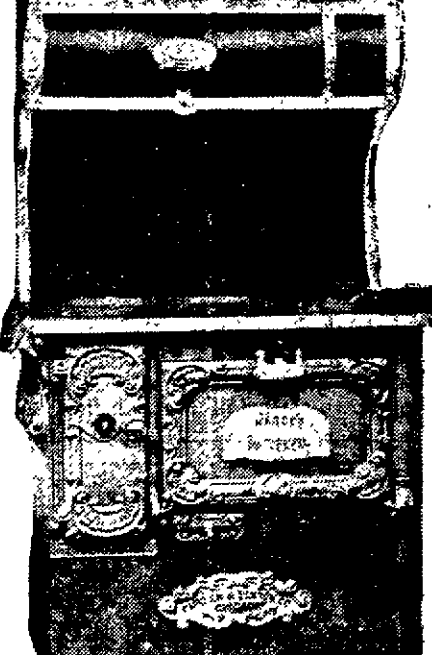


We ordered 25000 yards of this matting months before the new tariff bill was past—last week we sold 5000 yards at 18c per yard. Our customers appreciate the fact that this quality of matting has always sold for 35c per yard, but under the new tariff schedule dealers must get more for it. As we have plenty left we will again place it on special sale at **18c yd.**

Bed Spring \$10.80 & Mattress

COMPLETE, WORTH \$18.50.

A heavy, full width Iron Bed, beautifully enameled in green, ivory or blue; a steel cable supported rope edge, wire spring and a special combination mattress. This complete outfit **\$10.80**

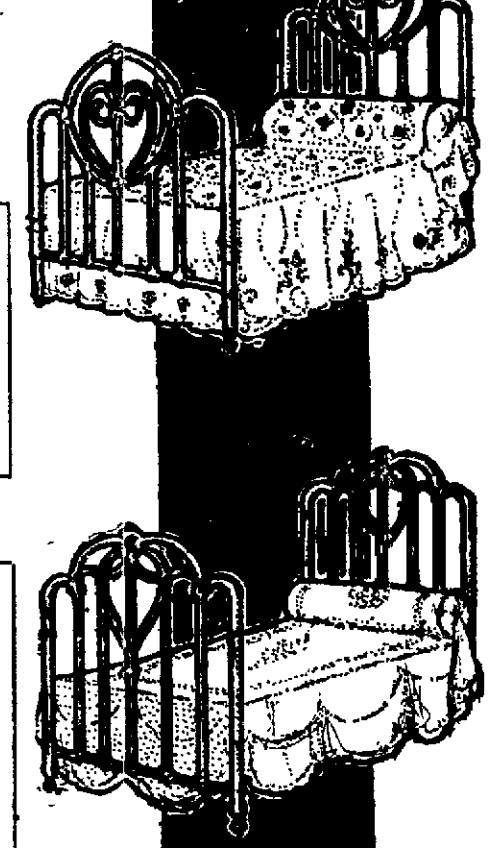


Your Dollars Go Furthest Here

OUR FREE RENT LIST WILL SAVE YOU MANY WEARY STEPS—IT'S COMPLETE

Cooking Comfort at a Small Cost

This full-sized Mascot Universal Range; high warming closet, asbestos lined throughout, spring balance doors; placed in your home and ready for use **\$35.00**



Busey Furniture Co.

410-412 SAN PABLO AVE.

Railroad Men Fear Car Shortage

The rapid revival of business all over the country, and the bumper crops now assured to farmers everywhere, with splendid prices, will, it is feared, produce a car famine such as has never before been experienced. The country has been operating on an economical basis as a result of the depression which confronts them is serious indeed.

The large Eastern car factories are running on full time to supply the demand for rolling stock, which is coming in, not only from every American railroad, but also from Japan, China and the Philippines.

Heretofore there have been no shops on the Pacific Coast prepared to handle the car-building business, except a small plant at Seattle and the W. L. Holman Company, in San Francisco, the latter having been principally engaged in passenger-car building. This condition has been all the more strange because the lumber which is used for car building comes from the Pacific Coast, and a local plant would have the advantage of full 50 per cent on the saving of freight charges on this item alone. Besides that every car which is brought from the East has to pay from \$90 to \$137.50 in freight toll for being hauled, the lower charge being made when the railroad hauling the car is allowed to fill it up with freight and get the freight charges on the contents as additional income.

With over 500 roads tributary to the Pacific Coast territory this field of industrial operation seems most inviting and a group of local capitalists have organized the Pacific Car and Foundry Company, which will proceed to establish

car-building plants at Richmond, California, and at Vancouver, Washington. They have already taken over the W. L. Holman Company plant here and will continue to operate that plant as the passenger car department. The other two plants will be devoted to freight car and locomotive building.

The tremendous success achieved by almost every car-building plant in the East with the added advantages afforded by the difference in freight charges and the rapidly growing market for the product would all indicate that the location of such a plant on the Pacific Coast will be most profitable.

The Pullman Company starting in the early eighties with a capitalization of about \$20,000,000 has increased its capital by dividends to \$109,000,000 and pays on this capital about 11 per cent. The American Car and Foundry Company has a total business in 1907 of \$100,000,000, which shows the enormous possibilities of this business, both as to volume and profit.

A limited amount of stock of the Pacific Car and Foundry Company is being offered for subscription at par value, \$10 per share. This is a very exceptional investment opening and the entire amount of the issue will probably be quickly subscribed; the fact that the company is already established and earning dividends being one which appeals to the conservative investor, who does not want to put money into experiments.

Subscriptions for this stock will be received by the

Pacific Promotion & Development Co., Exclusive Fiscal Agents, SUITES 359-371 MONADNOCK BLDG., SAN FRANCISCO.

SEATTLE TO HAVE UNION-PACIFIC

Harriman System Has Not Abandoned Purpose to Invade Sound Country

SEATTLE, Aug. 21.—"The Union Pacific is coming to Seattle and coming just as soon as we can get her. We want to begin our services early in September, but after so many vexatious delays I would much prefer to give no definite date," said Vice President J. D. Farrell of the Oregon and Washington, in speaking about a report that the Harriman system had abandoned its purpose to invade the sound.

"The papers for the purchase of an interest in the right of way from Portland and the use of the Northern Pacific tracks immediately have been signed in New York and are now in the mails. We had expected to have car service here by this time, but unexpected delays kept creeping into the deal, but the papers will be here in a few days and we will then conclude arrangements at once."

1909 PEACH CROP BREAKS RECORD

Fruit Pours Into New York and Threatens to Swamp the Market

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—If the figures reported are not wrong, this city will be fairly swamped with peaches soon. It is estimated here that the number of peaches which will begin coming next week from the Western New York peach belt to New York and New England will run as high as 240,000,000.

Most of this fruit will be shipped to New York city. In addition, Ohio, Michigan, Colorado and California are pouring peaches into this market at the rate of about sixty carloads a day, and so far as known these shipments will not be lessened by the up-state shipment. Meaning, growing accounts of the profits which will be reaped by the growers in this state are being given.

It is stated that the crop this year is worth \$1,000,000. More New York farmers have taken up peach culture during the last five years than ever before and this year's enormous yield is one result.

REVEALS ENGAGEMENT AT PRETTY LUNCHEON

At a dainty luncheon Tuesday noon given in honor of the birthday of Miss Grace Sanford, her engagement to wed Joseph Hanush of this city was announced.

The pretty home was tastefully decorated for the occasion, red being used in the color scheme. Music was furnished by Miss Helen Miller and Miss Eva Sanford, the latter being a younger sister of the bride-elect.

The time for the wedding has not been definitely set, but it is said that the nuptials will take place some time during the winter months.

Many pretty and useful birthday remembrances were presented with best wishes.

Miss Sanford made her debut three years ago, and since then has been very popular in church and social circles.

The bride-elect is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Sanford of 602 Thirty-seventh street.

Her engagement comes as a surprise to a great many of her most intimate friends, who all join in best wishes for a happy future.

How to Avoid Sea Sickness

Take along a box of Mother's Milk and Train Sick Remedy. It has been thoroughly tested on English and Irish Channel and found absolutely reliable. Recommended officially by such papers as London Daily Express, and the Press generally in Great Britain. Analyzed by Sir Charles A. Cameron, C. B. M. D. Guaranteed perfect; harmless and if not satisfactory money refunded. Write for booklet and prices, notices and testimonials from prominent people. For sale at first-class druggists or send direct to Mother's Milk Remedy Co., 279 Cleveland Bldg., Detroit, Michigan.

For sale and recommended in Oakland by The Owl Drug Co., at 13th and Broadway, 10th and Washington, 10th and San Pablo, 415 Thirteenth st.

CLASSIFIED ADS. IN THE TRIBUNE PAY BIG RETURNS FOR MONEY INVESTED

McCall's Fall Patterns

Before you decide to begin the making of winter garments, call and look over the McCall Fashions. You'll find them in the Pattern Department and you'll save time, money, worry and goods by following the good advice they contain. Perfect patterns for any garment. **10c, 15c—none higher**

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Brightest of Draperies

The Drapery Section is now prepared to satisfy the tastes of all in its many lines. Bright Silkalines, Tapestry, Oriental Cloths, Burials, Cretonnes in every grade and color that's made. Expert advice at your disposal. Ask for any information that will aid you in selection or draping.

Silks will always be in the Front Rank

and especially will their popularity be maintained so long as such beautiful silken novelties are created, as the looms have produced this season. Here's a mention of but three lines out of many:

Imported Messaline

Of the very highest lustre; a very fine texture and very soft finish; makes up beautifully into evening dresses or waists; in all the new Fall shading; also staple and evening shades; 20 inches wide **75c yd**

Novelty Messalines

These are shown in three different designs; the styles are entirely new and very effective; shown in a complete color assortment; 24 inches wide **\$1.00 yd**

Silk Bengaline

The new and popular silk fabric for coats or tailored suits, of good, heavy weight; can be made up without lining, and is of good wearing quality; in black only. 36 inches wide **\$2.00 yd**

Silk Bengalines, 21 inches, in all colors, at **\$1.25 yd**

Even Now There is Need of New Eiderdown Sacks and Robes



The Fall and Winter line of these necessary garments is already here—warm, comfortable and tasteful in design.

All-wool ripple Eiderdown Sacks in grey, red, light blue and lavender, as in picture or with frogs—

\$1.25, \$1.75

All-wool ripple Eiderdown Robes, with heavy cord, with and without collar, satin trimmed cuffs; same colors as above—

\$3.95, \$5 and to \$7.25

Blanket Robes, patterned all over, heavy cord and pocket—

\$3.50, \$3.95 and to \$7

Tomorrow Morning You Can Choose from 100 Dainty Lingerie Gowns



of Exquisite Beauty and Finish
Worth up to \$12.50

\$6.95

"Strange," you may say, "to be selling such great values for so little money right at the beginning of a season." Not at all, when you are told why.

These pretty party gowns are not in complete lines of colors and sizes. One or two only of a size or kind, hence the maker shipped them with our regular order and took a chance on our accepting them at a very special price. When you see them, as you surely will, you will admit that the chance referred to was not very risky—we only wish he had sent more.

Prettiest of Mull Creations

Made of the sheerest mull and liberally trimmed with fascinating laces, inserting and embroidery; Dutch necks, high or medium collars; some with yokes or entire front of embroidery; choice of at least fifty up-to-date designs.

Sizes and Colors

The sizes of these dainty dresses are from 34 to 42 and also some for misses of 16 to 18 years.

Colors are white, pink, lavender and pale blue. For evening and party wear this opportunity comes just at the right time.

Clever Little Dresses of Princess Style

Made of a beautiful quality of soft finished broadcloth in black and navy. Neat, embroidered panel front and back, lace yokes, wide, embroidered cuffs, skirts with side plaits; very graceful. A down-to-the-minute Fall idea **\$25.00**

A Pronounced Novelty The Renaissance Gown

A modernized suggestion of the type of long ago. Made with close-fitting silk Jersey waist falling below hips; messaline knitted skirt black only. Another popular idea **\$32.50**

New Modes Demand New Dress Goods

And we have them in such profusion and variety that the most fastidious woman can be perfectly satisfied in the choice of dress material. Those lines of special interest are:

Satin Striped Prunella

A very attractive, satin-finished wool material with self-stripes; one of the new Fall styles; is of good weight, suitable for tailored garments; shades of black, navy, brown, royal, delft, cardinal, taupe, old rose and wisteria; 46 inches wide **\$1.50 yd**

Satin Finished Etamines

This is a silk and wool fabric, the surface being ribbed and of high lustered satin finish; in shades of champagne, pearl, delft, fern, olive, gold, brown, raspberry, wisteria, rose, light blue, cream and black; swell for afternoon and evening wear; 42 inches wide **\$1.50 yd**

Storm Serges

We carry a complete line of Storm Serges, both in grades and colorings; always popular and satisfactory in every respect; shades of navy, brown, cardinal, green, tan, grey, black and creams.

36-In.—50c; 43-In.—75c; 46-In.—\$1.00; 54-In.—\$1.25—\$1.50—\$2.00 yd.

Much Exclusive Patterning in our New Woolen Waistings

In the Flannel and Woolen Waisting Section the shelves are filled with the very things in these lines that you are now seeking.

Pressed Flannel Waisting, a good washable waisting and shirting **15c yd**

Double-faced Eiderdown Robing in rich, warm colorings at **25c yd**

A complete assortment of Kimono and Wrapper Fashions, in cashmere fleece, German velours and Ducking fleece; exquisite new designs. Prices **10c, 12½c, 15c, 16½c yd**

Exclusive novelties in the finest of Imported Woolen Waistings, soft pastel shades, principally in stripes and Jacquard silk effects. The prices, **65c, 75c, 85c yd**

Satin striped Mercerized Poplins; a fine fall suiting and waisting, in rose, sapphire, wisteria, mulberry, navy, lavender, white, black, brown, reseda and hunter greens **25c yd**

Just received several shipments of new fall designs of percales, galateas and gingham.

An Immense Variety of Trimming Buttons

Here are included all those novelties that are required for the proper trimming of the new suits, capes and coats.

Jet, steel, bone, rhinestone, oxidized, enamel, with stone settings, in all colors—all colors and sizes, and all properly priced.

Useful Knit Shawls and Fascinators



They're getting in demand more and more each evening. Here they are:

Hand crocheted Wool Shawls, square and umbrella styles; good color range—

\$1.25, \$1.75 and to \$3.50

Knit Wool Shawls, square only; good colors; big variety—

65c, 75c, 90c and to \$2.75

Fascinators—silk, wool; all colors. Prices range—

25c, 50c and to \$2.00

Extra Values in Novelty Tabs

A remarkably clever lot of Neckwear—Tabs of chiffon mull, accordion-plaited, lace insertion, lace edge; many are embroidered and have embroidered scalloped edge. Dozens of fetching designs at,

Special 25c

A New Line of Madras and Linette Tailored Waists

Not a store but has Tailored Waists at the prices we mention, but the difference is in the quality and the wear. Compare the lasting features of our Waists with others at the same price, and we're satisfied.

Made of good material, plaited back and front; stiff collars and cuffs—

\$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75 and to \$2.50



PLEASANTON NEWS

PLEASANTON, Aug. 21.—Rev. Father J. McCallister made a business trip to San Francisco Friday. Mrs. Charles Schwan and daughter, Lovell, were visitors in San Francisco Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Crinkshaw and son, Robert, were visitors in San Francisco Saturday.

John Hession made a business trip to Oakland Saturday.

At a recent meeting of the town trustees James Crinkshaw resigned as trustee.

Leo and Mr. Priest was elected to that position.

Miss Ellen Olsen of Los Banos is the guest of Mrs. Anita Platt.

Don Devaney and daughter, Miss Annie, are at Lake Tahoe this week.

Miss Rose Davila is visiting friends in town this week.

Miss Deane Dali is the guest of friends in Salinas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bruce left the middle of the week for Lake Tahoe, where they will remain a week.

George and Marguerite Castolovich of Santa Cruz are visiting Augustin Bernal and wife.

Little Miss Verona Peach has about

recovered from a serious illness from which she has been suffering.

Frank and John Cole have sold their place on St. Mary street to people from San Francisco.

Mrs. J. Kathbone left Saturday morning for San Francisco.

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TAFT DECIDES TO REDUCE THE ARMY

Takes Action in General Plan of Reduction of Government Expenses

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—President Taft has decided that beginning July next the enlisted force of the army shall be not greater in strength than 80,000 men. This includes the army hospital corps, the Philippine scouts and the service schools detachment. At present the enlisted strength amounts to 78,306, with 5700 additional men in the Philippine J. A. Zacherly and family went to San Francisco Wednesday and visited the new Cliff House.

NEWARK NEWS

NEWARK, Aug. 21.—Mrs. Wm. Critchlow of Berkeley visited with her daughter, Mrs. R. N. Critchlow, Monday.

A native son arrived at the Sussex home Tuesday morning. Both mother and babe are doing nicely.

M. D. Silva and Joe Neves drove to Pasadena Wednesday to spend a few days with relatives, who are camping there.

Mrs. K. Smith of the Park Hotel is contemplating a trip East in September.

J. A. Zacherly and family went to San Francisco Wednesday and visited the new Cliff House.

The Misses Boardman of San Francisco spent the week-end as the guests of Mrs. A. Finn.

Mrs. P. Finn has returned from San Francisco, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Green of Honolulu, for the past five weeks.

Joe Francis and wife of Sacramento have returned home after a week's visit with his mother, Mrs. M. Francis.

James McDermott and wife have returned from Guernsey, where they have been spending the summer.

TRAIN DERAILED ONE IS KILLED

Ohio Wreck is Remarkable Because of the Few Fatalities Attending It

YOUNGSTOWN, Ohio, Aug. 21.—One trainman was killed, two injured and a score of passengers bruised and cut when train No. 215, running from Pittsburgh to Chicago on the Pennsylvania and connecting lines at Alliance with the Pennsylvania, was derailed as it rounded a curve in the yards here at 7:25 tonight. Spreading rails was the cause of the accident. That many others were not killed is a miracle, for all the cars in the train were derailed except the last of the string, the parlor coach. The engine and baggage coach overturned. The injuries of the passengers, all of whom were thrown from their seats, consisted chiefly of cuts from broken glass and bruises in being hurled against the furniture and sides of the coaches.

RABBI FROM PITTSBURG TO LECTURE ON NORDAU

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—"Max Nordau and His Influence" will be the subject of the address of the Rev. Rudolph I. Coffey of Pittsburg who will speak tomorrow evening at the meeting of the Agudath Zion society in the assembly hall of the Congregation Beth Israel on Geary street, near Fillmore.

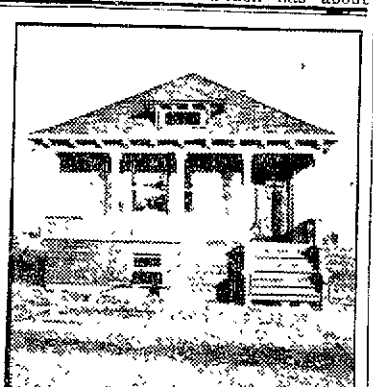
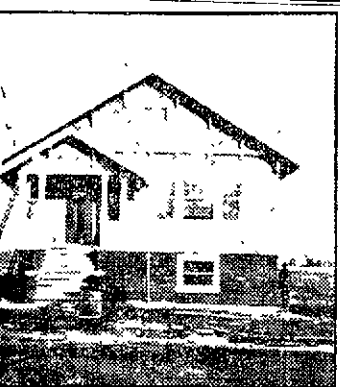
Rev. Dr. Michael Friend of Sacramento will also speak. President S. Goldstein of the society will preside and the musical program will include vocal solos by Miss Rose Goldblatt, Mrs. Irene Elken and Miss Crown and a violin solo by Morris Weil. The Agudath Zion society is the local branch of the great international movement of Zionists to secure a recognized home for the Jews in Palestine and thereby solve the problem of Jewish persecution in Europe.



For Sale—\$2500 \$400 Down and \$25 a Month

—Here is one of the prettiest little bungalows in the county and it's for sale at a sacrifice.
—Located in the choicest section of Steinway Terrace on a lot 40x130.
—The photograph above, unfortunately, does not do it justice, as it's an unusually attractive little place with a great, big brick fireplace, paneled walls, beam ceilings, etc.
—In fact, it is about the kind of a place you'd expect to pay \$3250 for, although the price is only \$2500.
—We want you to see this today.
—Call us up, Oakland 147, any time today and we'll call for you with the auto and take you out to see it.
—If you cannot pay \$400 down make us a proposition and we will consider it.
—The owner is very anxious to sell. It has never been occupied.

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without the least danger to the most sensitive skin, restoring the soft bloom of youth at little cost of time and money. You can learn the whole secret in thirty minutes and be convinced by one free

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TREATMENT

Organization Has Much to Do With Success at a Primary Election



AN FRANCISCO, August 21.—Well, we have had our first dose of the direct primary, and it has shown just what the truly wise men at Sacramento last winter said it would. Nobody would listen then; but look at the results.

The thinkers of politics said: "The direct primary

will increase the powers of the bosses, because they have the 'organizations,' and without an organization behind him a candidate fights against tremendous odds."

But nobody would listen. The people wanted the direct primary to get away from the boss power. But see who's here!

Crocker won the Republican nomination because he had the Herrin organization behind him. Maury gave him a good run because he had the Spreckels organization behind him. But where were Countryman and Grauman and Kiel, the men who ran on their own responsibility, with no organization and no boss to back them? They were either forced out before the election or made a pitiful showing at the polls.

Leland won the Democratic nomination because he had the McNab organization behind him. The votes secured for McLeran were the votes of the anti-McNab organization. But where was Ed Rock, a handsome, active, personally popular man who made his own fight, unaided by a boss? He was nowhere—and that's the story of your direct primary.

THE ENTHUSIASTIC REFORMER.

The enthusiastic reformer may combat this with a statement that some candidates showed the triumph of individuals and morals over organization. Well, we must grant to the reformer the fact that Fred Eggers, German grocer and unreformed supervisor, did capture the Republican nomination for sheriff in competition with the brother-in-law of General M. H. De Young. If that is a triumph of the people over the bosses, the reformers are entitled to the full credit of it. The people have said their say. Hoch! Eggers! Prosit!

But the great uplifting and world-blazoning triumph of the direct primary—the true enslavement of the bosses to the will of a sovereign people—is shown in the selection of a reformatory independent for coroner. There the people really said their say. They named Dr. C. C. O'Donnell for coroner, right in the faces of both Boss Herrin and Boss Spreckels. Hooray! Hoo-ray!

It is because Dr. O'Donnell has trodden the higher paths of thought and belief that the dear people so selected him for their favor. It is because he has clung to the glorious ethics of his profession. His has been a career of light and leading. No finger has been pointed at him. He has been known as a fellow feeling for a fellow being—a friend in need, a refuge in distress, and now all his high-mindedness, his abnegations, his clinging to ideals have been rewarded. The people have risen again and demanded O'Donnell for coroner—so he can pass upon his own practices.

This is the crown and glory of the direct primary. It has led the people to speak their will. They have "shouted a song for the brave and the free," and after naming Fred Eggers for sheriff have completed the rout of the bosses by the nomination of high-minded, true-hearted, uplifting, self-administering Dr. O'Donnell for coroner! When shall the glory of the direct primary fade? It stands forth to the world, triumphant and full panoplied, a glass of steam beer in one hand, a bottle of ergot in the other.

PETTY SERVANTS OF CORPORATIONS.

Our corporations are unfortunate in their petty servants, and the pig-headed churlishness of an understrapper often costs a big-hearted president or manager nights of anxiety and thousands of dollars. I am minded to this bit of moralizing by an occurrence of last Sunday night.

Some of the joyous spirits of "The Family" were returning from a visit to the Family Farm—the club's beautiful outing place near Portola. Their automobile swung into the boulevard near the Trocadero, and suddenly they were halted by a cry for help. Quick as such men always are to relieve distress, they halted their machine and found that some strangers of another automobile party had met with an accident; that all were more or less injured, and that one was in a desperate strait, apparently bleeding to death. Of course the injured were bundled into the club machine and made as comfortable as circumstances would permit, while the rush order was given: "Quick as you can go to the railroad hospital, where Doctor Ainsworth will patch up the wounds."

Out of the rush and anxiety the party reached the railroad hospital at the entrance to the park panhandle. Dr. Ainsworth was not there. An ass with a stone for a heart turned the sorely stricken patient

away with the declaration that none but railroad men could be accommodated there.

"But can't you give this man first aid—he is bleeding to death?"

"Nope! None but railroad men admitted here!"

"But surely you'll give us a bandage?"

"Oh, that's down at the other end of the hospital."

Now, that worse than stupid cruelty will very likely some day cost the Southern Pacific a lot of trouble and much money. First aid to the injured is the first cry of humanity. That the injured man was whisked off to the Park emergency hospital; that neither doctor nor nurse was on hand there, make up another story. But Dr. Ainsworth, who is kindly and humane, as well as skillful, and who has built up for the Southern Pacific one of the greatest hospitals in all the world, will very probably call to account his jack-ass underling, who was brought up in the school of the men who passed by on the other side and left a place for the Good Samaritan to soften human history and ennoble human life.

WOMEN AND THE COCKTAIL.

It is about time one of our sensationalists of the pulpit took up woman and the cocktail as a theme for sermonizing. Jack Tait has acknowledged the necessity of purveying milady's afternoon appetizer and has introduced in his luxurious cafe an ambulatory bar, where the drinks are mixed right under the admiring gaze of womankind.

Go any afternoon into the Tait-Zinkand and you will see wheeled into the main room a round mahogany buffet with bottles and bitters and glasses and napkins and lemons and all the necessary appurtenances and attachments of a well-caparisoned bar. The white-robed mixologist comes with it and works in the open, decocting his dream potions as he proceeds.

The patrons are nine parts women—not the night frazzle of the tenderloin, but the women of the shopping districts. Their tastes run the gamut from plain whisky to absinthe frappe, but the cocktail in its assorted glory holds the place of favor. And the Tait-Zinkand is only one of many tipping places of milady, with the St. Francis holding its own in the tapestry room. It remained for the resourceful Jack Tait, however, to let the dear ones see just how their drinks were compounded, and thus give them a liberal education in one of the means of keeping hubby at home. From now on, every woman her own bartender.

A "MILLIONAIRE ARTIST."

William Keith, "the millionaire artist," has just sold two of his paintings to Mrs. Frank Carolan for \$1000 each, and Macbeth, the big New York dealer who has been on the coast looking for good work in the studios, has taken ten other Keith landscapes away with him. And so, while other artists complain of hard times and the lack of appreciation, the veteran goes on adding to his great fortune and finds plenty of buyers at his own prices.

But Keith has wedded industry to genius. His studio is full of canvases. He is still at work, pegging away though rich enough and old enough to rest.

"They commiserate me over my narrow, hard life," he said to me this week. "They wonder that I go on working. But they don't know my delights. It is because I love the work that I keep at it. No one knows the great thrills and enthusiasm I get out of the labor of painting. Sometimes I find myself all throbbing and trembling with delight. Sometimes I am soaked with perspiration that comes from enthusiasm as I see the effects I want coming on the canvas. Again I want to shout and dance when I have triumphed over a hard situation.

"And so I do not find the life hard or the road narrow. I love the labor, and the people have been very kind and appreciative. So that I have made a great deal of money out of a task that is purely a labor of love.

THE FAMILY TO CELEBRATE.

The coming week "The Family" is to celebrate "the annual flight of the stork" at the Family Farm, back of Redwood City. And this fact calls to my mind something of the story of this unique organization. It was formed in the early months of 1902 as a sort of protest against the tendency of other clubs to get too large—so large that the pleasures of individual contact and individual development were lost in the mass. So it strictly limited its active membership to 200, and has stuck to that limit, no matter what the temptations to extend it.

In April, 1902, the club set up a very modest home at the corner of Montgomery and Commercial streets. It was a success from the start. Before the year was up it fitted for itself uniquely beautiful rooms up-town on Post street, near Grant avenue. There it had begun to accumulate much that was valuable in the way of books and bibelots and paintings, when the fire came along and wiped it all away.

That was a hard blow for a little, new club, but the

members pulled together with a will, took Gordon Blanding's big house at Clay and Franklin streets, and faced fate unflinchingly. The club spirit in the little organization has won out. Now, without increasing its 200 membership limit, it is preparing to move into a beautiful home at Bush and Powell streets and it has "The Family Farm" of thirty odd acres at Portola in the beautiful San Mateo hills. This Edenic spot is reached in less than two hours by automobile or train from San Francisco and offers a complete change of climate. As a consequence it resounds almost nightly with the frolics of "the Children of the Family" and is thoroughly satisfactory as a pleasuring ground.

All this has been accomplished in seven years by a club that boasts that it has no house rule, and shows what can be done when the pull-together spirit is once aroused in a company of men or in a community.

HENEY'S POOR SHOWING.

Politicians are still unable to explain why Heney made such a poor showing in the primary. Even the prosecutor's enemies are surprised that he displayed so little strength. The small vote cast for him in the Democratic column is the greatest puzzle of all.

The Democratic Club which nominated Ralph McLeran for Mayor endorsed Heney for District Attorney and made an active canvass in his behalf. In this organization are to be found the Sullivans, O'Gara, Judge Maguire, Bob Harrison and other boosters for the graft prosecution.

At all of McLeran's meetings Heney was boomed. Heney was not placed on the McLeran ticket because he is registered as a Republican, and hence the law forbade the printing of his name on the Democratic ballot.

On the other hand Phelan, Dan Murphy, Connelley, Supervisor Jim Booth, Charlie Fay and Tom Hickey, Chairman of the County Committee, made a vigorous fight in the organization wing for the Spreckels attorney. They passed the word down the line to write Heney's name on the ballot. And it was what is called "wise" politics for them to do so.

In addition, an active propaganda was carried on by the Spreckels Good Government machine to induce Democrats to make Heney their candidate. Paid workers were at every polling place urging Democrats to write his name on their ballots.

This work cost somebody several thousand dollars. Yet with it all, the vote for Heney was pitifully small. Out of the more than 8000 Democratic votes cast he received a total of 2384—a little more than 25 per cent and only 124 more than was given Fickert, the Republican organization candidate. Even McLeran, who started as a dead one, got 810 more votes than Heney. Fickert's name had to be written in the same as Heney's, and the only recognized Democrat that made a fight was Morris Oppenheim, while several of McNab's lieutenants were active workers for Heney. Tom Hickey came out in a card stating that the nomination for District Attorney was left blank that Heney's name might be written in, and advising Democrats to write it in.

But somehow the Bonbrun votes shied at Heney. Only a small minority of them could be induced to take the dose. This does not indicate that the babies are crying for Heney. Indeed, if street talk is to be taken as indicative of public sentiment, three out of four men in this town wish Heney would go back to Arizona and give San Francisco a rest. Moreover, a wave of disgust is sweeping over the community for the petty, nagging brand of reform that has held dominance during the past two years.

MISS BOGUE AS A WRITER.

Pacific Coast literature is looking up. We have just had one book by Bierce, another by Ned Greenway is promised, and one by Miss Vergilia Bogue is on the stocks. The purposes and merits of the three may be wide apart, but there is no doubt as to which will prove to be the best seller; for since Miss Bogue bounded into the Portola arena she is by far the most interesting and best advertised young woman in California.

Miss Bogue is one of those forceful personalities that make their way under any circumstances—one of the sort for whom circumstances seem to adapt themselves. The limelight follows them, no matter if they stand back in one corner of the stage behind all the rest of the chorus. And they never stay in the chorus long. Nature seems to be in on the deal with them and by fair means or foul removes the leading man or woman to give them a chance. Your favored of fortune come to the front and in two days you think they have always been there.

"I have sent my photograph down to the Portola beauty contest committee," said Miss Bogue to her father one day last spring.

Virgil Bogue, chief engineer of the Western Pacific railroad, gave a start and then grunted. He wondered what that girl would do next, but he only said "A fine queen you'd make."

Now, Virgil Bogue admires his daughter no end;

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but he comforted himself with the thought that her beauty was not of the type that would appeal to a committee of men charged with selecting a queen for a public festival. For Virgil Bogue is exclusive, fastidious, and detests notoriety. He is forceful, wilful, a little inclined to be domineering. And so is his daughter. They are so much alike that they do not always agree.

But that committee knew what it was about, and a few weeks later the newspapers announced that Miss Vergilia Bogue had been chosen queen of the Portola festival.

Bogue snorted.

A friend of the family called up Mrs. Bogue that day, by telephone and congratulated her on her daughter's success.

Mrs. Bogue sighed.

"I suppose Mr. Bogue is pleased?" queried the friend, sweetly.

"Well, if you have any business with him I'd advise you not to see him today," said Mrs. Bogue.

And Miss Vergilia? She accepted the honor and the publicity as serenely as a May morning. She posed forty different ways for the camera men, was gracious to the reporters, and—went furiously to work on her book, "The Strength to Yield," for Miss Bogue is ambitious. She is a long way from the stripe to be satisfied with May-pole honors. She wants to achieve something in literature. She was born up in Placer county only 22 years ago, but she has studied, traveled and read. She is on good terms with three Continental languages and, although she has not neglected the automobile, she has worked.

Her father would have nothing to do with the publication of the work. It wasn't a speculation that appealed to a practical engineer. That did not bother his twin self as reincarnated in his daughter. She had some money of her own. She is attending to the publication of the book herself. The Fates have contrived to exploit it on the first page of all the newspapers. No book in California ever has had such advertising. It is a safe bet that its sale will beat Greenway's book—if the latter ever materializes—by a city block, and Bierce's book by four miles.

AMBROSE BIERCE'S BOOK.

Ambrose Bierce, however, is said to be occupied with a subject that may engage wider attention out here on the Pacific than anything he has published hitherto. If the story is right, "Black Beetles in Amber" will not be in it as a subject of interest to our local statesmen, near poets, "prominent" society people, colonels of a succession of Governors' staffs and gentlemen who shine in the militia. Even the dogs will howl—perhaps some of them will whine. For the story comes from Washington that Bierce is writing a book that might be entitled "Recollections of All the Men I Have Ever Known."

Now, Bierce is 67 years old, and in "the dark backward and abyss" of his time he has known a great many men. He has had a tolerably good insight into the majority of them, and none is to escape, no matter how obscure. The work is said already to have reached the proportions of an unabridged dictionary.

TRAVELING ON THE LOCALS.

"I am going over to Oakland," said one San Francisco man to a friend not long ago.

"Which way, Coon or Chink?" asked the other.

"Which what?"

"Why, which route—Coon or Chink? Understand? Broad or narrow gauge, you know."

The friend thought a minute and said, "O!"

The names are likely to stick.

ELEANOR GORDON'S HUSBAND.

Howard Morton is out on a short vacation from New York. Morton is one of the cleverest newsmongers in Mr. Hearst's service. He was a San Francisco boy and caused himself to be discovered by the late Jake Dressler when the latter was city editor of the Examiner. Morton was a rosy-cheeked, pop-eyed lad behind a pair of big spectacles and was a canvasser for Hicks, Judd & Co., where his father was one of the best bookbinders San Francisco ever had. Young Morton was of that celebrated kind, "a cross between an interrogation point and a mongoose," born to be a reporter. Dressler divined what was in him and put him to work. From the beginning he could dig up as many stories as any of the old-timers. He climbed up until he was sent to New York as special correspondent of the Examiner, and a little later he was transferred to the Hearst news service bureau. He married Eleanor Gordon, a little actress who seven or eight years ago played small parts in the Alcazar Stock Company and is now one of the stars on the Orpheum circuit. Probably she gets the largest salary; but, at thirty, he has outstripped most of those who started in the newspaper race with him.

MISS COOLBRITH'S POEM.

Poetry is not as popular as politics. Nevertheless there are occasional verses that "fit audience find,

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though few." And as the majority of that audience believes that Ina Coolbrith is still the first poet in California, an inch of space should be conceded to a pair of dainty stanzas Miss Coolbrith contributed to the Whirl, a little pamphlet paper that was printed down at Carmel when the literati of that colony had their jinks there by the sea on the 24th of last month. The little poem, which should have circulation, is as follows:

AT CARMEL.

Blue waves that wash a curved beach
Of sand, like drifted snow;
Song-waves, that sing in silvery speech,
To music soft and low.

A cloudless sun in heaven's blue sweep;
Great stars, how near that seem!
The night an hour of sea-lulled sleep,
The day a rosy dream.

There are other original poems in the Whirl by George Sterling, Mary Austin and others. They would have been good if Miss Coolbrith had not written hers.

DIRECT PRIMARY LAW.

The direct primary law has been tested in this city and the results are of public record. Of the 216 candidates on the five tickets—Republican, Democratic, Socialist, Union Labor and Independence League—that were submitted to the people for their indorsement or nomination, but one aspirant who was not the selection of a political organization or machine was chosen by the electors.

The political partisans really won in every instance, the suggested exception being Fred Eggers, who ran "independent" for Sheriff because the Citizens' Committee refused to recommend him. But Eggers is a well seasoned politician, having served as Supervisor for two terms and made an unsuccessful campaign for Tax Collector. He also has a machine of his own, having held the Thirty-sixth Assembly district as a pocket borough against all comers for years. As to having an organization back of him, Eggers was the first choice of the regular Republicans and his turning down by the business men did not alienate many of its followers from him. Then, too, Eggers had the support of the allied German societies, and as the Germans of foreign birth exceed all other foreign nationalities in the number of their registered voters in this city they certainly are a power to be reckoned with politically.

Not a single candidate nominated at the primary may be claimed to have sprung from the brow of the people except by way of the political organizations, whose selections the people indorsed in every instance, for the factions in this city are as much political machines as are the regular political organizations, differing from them only in strength and possibly sagacity and ability as leaders of men.

It may be truthfully said that the direct primary law has strengthened the regular political organizations, for if they were universally successful in this the first of the direct primaries when public interest called out a larger vote than ever before cast at a preliminary election in this city, what will be the tendency in times of normal political interest in a campaign?

That the citizens believe in partizan organization was clearly shown by the fact that the more nominations from the machines a candidate got the greater

the number of votes for him that followed. Instead of objecting to machines the people seemed to give them their support in no uncertain manner. While no candidate without a machine indorsement received a nomination at the polls, John E. McDougald, the aspirant for Treasurer, who had practically three, was given the largest vote of any candidate who went before the people last Tuesday.

The Citizens' Committee met with a fair share of success in this preliminary election. Of the thirteen candidates for administrative and legal offices recommended by them eight were nominated at the primary polls. Of the eighteen candidates for Supervisor recommended by the business men and indorsed by the regular Republican organization, ten were nominated last Tuesday.

MONEY IN HENEY'S FIGHT.

The contest for the nomination for District Attorney was a most spirited and interesting one. Charles M. Fickert received the indorsement of both the Republican and Union Labor parties by overwhelming majorities. Francis J. Heney received the Democratic nomination by the not very complimentary majority of 124.

The Good Government-Rudolph Spreckels-"Gumshoe" Burns-Isidor Jacobs combination for purity by the decoy postage stamp primary and similar routes, made most strenuous efforts to land this nomination for the special prosecutor. Money did not appear to be any object in this fight. The McLaren rump Democracy was backed in consideration of its efforts to secure Heney's nomination. Hundreds of men were employed and thousands of dollars worth of printed matter used to this same end. Men were placed on the street cars to distribute circulars and cards pleading for votes for Heney.

In response to advertisements men assembled at the Heney-Spreckels-"Gumshoe" Burns headquarters in the Lick building on Monday night preceding the primary and 300 more were employed to "work" for Heney at the polls on Tuesday, their compensation being \$5 each.

Even with all this unusual effort in behalf of the special prosecutor Fickert would have secured the Democratic nomination also had it not been for an excess of zeal on the part of some of his youthful supporters. These young men conceived the idea of making a house-to-house canvass of the Democrats south of the slot, last Sunday, in the interest of Fickert. This course not only excited resentment in some instances, but attracted unnecessary attention to what had previously been a still hunt. But for this mistake in judgment Fickert would have received the Democratic majority by a large majority, notwithstanding the efforts of the Taylor administration and "Gumshoe" Burns in behalf of the special prosecutor. As it was, Fickert's lead pencils, of which there were \$600 worth bearing the inscription, "Charles M. Fickert—District Attorney," did good work in the Bourbon camp. His failure to secure that nomination was merely a case of too much zeal among his friends.

WHITE HAT MCCARTHY'S BATH.

The fact that for some not apparent reason stories about "White-Hat" McCarthy are the vogue, the tale of the \$2500 bath that horseman and ladies' man once indulged in might bear repeating. One night some years ago "White Hat" wandered across the courtyard of the old Palace Hotel with languid and indifferent air approaching the blaze. Colonel Kirkpatrick

is a kind-hearted man, or at least he was at that time, and he instructed the attaches of the place to assist McCarthy to bed. The horseman was carefully disposed of in a room on the mezzanine floor over the Union League Club. During the night McCarthy partially awoke and imagined he wanted a bath. He wandered into the bathroom, and disposing himself in the tub, turned on the water and again went to sleep. The next morning there was a miniature flood in the rooms of the Union League and the frescoed ceilings had to be removed and others substituted and various damages to the furniture, carpets, paintings and library repaired at a cost of \$2500.

But "White Hat" had taken his bath and also captured the record for the cost of such sanitary and restful pleasures. Colonel Kirkpatrick's solicitude for guests suffering from ennui similar to that which overcame McCarthy has waned since the bath tub incident and it is not of public record, or even of hotel gossip, that he ever again ordered the "white-hatted" one put to bed.

THEATERS DOING GOOD BUSINESS.

That San Francisco is a pleasure-loving city, and is willing to pay for its entertainment, whether times be good or bad, is shown by the fact that the theaters of this city are doing a good business even in this summer month and the patronage of these places of amusement is greater than for several previous months. The people of San Francisco are remarkable in their ability to always secure sufficient money for their pleasures and entertainments whether they be of the dramatic stage, of the table, in the field of sports or the more exciting diversions that run to games of chance or luck.

The Orpheum, the first of the theaters to open down town, is doing an enormous business, playing to full houses and frequently turning away people. The name of the former up-town Orpheum has been changed to The Garrick and will be opened September 1st with Klaw and Erlanger's attractions, which will be presented there until the new Colonial, now in process of construction on McAllister street, is completed.

November 1st, The Garrick will go under the control of Gottlieb & Marks to be run in connection with the Van Ness until the new Columbia, at the corner of Mason and Geary streets, shall be opened. It is expected that the Columbia, the second of down town theaters to be built since the fire, will be ready for business by the middle of December. It will probably open with David Warfield.

The theatrical situation, just now, is somewhat confused, if not actually mixed. There is a scrap on between the American and Valencia over the presentation of the Shubert attractions. The American signed up with Shubert, but he is now desirous of canceling the contract with a view to transferring his plays to the Valencia. The latter theater will present these attractions from August 29 to October 3, when it will be turned into a vaudeville house under the name of American Music Hall, handling William Morris' acts. Walter Hoff Seely, manager of the Valencia and William Morris, its representative, will transfer the Shubert attractions to another house—probably the Princess.

There is talk of Fred Belasco having a new theater to be built downtown, several sites being under consideration. In the meantime he is continuing his stock company at the Alcazar.

COL. KIRKPATRICK FOR FEACE.

A number of the leading business men of San Fran-

cisco, friends and associates of Colonel J. C. Kirkpatrick of the Fairmont and Palace Hotels, met in the rooms of the Merchants' Association and arranged to tender the Colonel a banquet as "Ex-Park Commissioner." When Kirkpatrick was communicated with he asked his friends not to pursue the matter, for while he fully appreciated the compliment and their kind intentions he feared that there might be some comment on Mayor Taylor and the latter's administration, which he thought it might be well to avoid. The Colonel being a man of peace and not of war urged harmony and an avoidance of a bitter contention that might be aroused by a banquet which would be a protest against the course of the poet Mayor in declaring Kirkpatrick's office as Park Commissioner vacant because he happened to be in Europe in excess of sixty days, the time allowed a public official under the charter to be absent from the State.

I am told that a reference to the records of the Park Commission would show that James D. Phelan, one of its members, has been out of the State exceeding sixty days during the past year. Poet Taylor, however, has displayed no zeal in enforcing the provisions of the charter in this instance. But then Phelan was in Washington in relation to the Hetch-Hetchy water proposition and probably Mayor Taylor views a violation of the law in this connection with different eyes, for he has made no sign on the lines of appointing a successor to Phelan in the Park Commission. The Mayor may or may not have received his orders from Phelan, by whom his administration has been much influenced, as yet.

FOR MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS.

In defining the policies he will pursue, if elected, William Crocker, the Republican nominee for Mayor, has said that he will permit no further and unnecessary delays in the providing of municipal buildings for the proper and expeditious conduct of the business of the public instead of having the various departments scattered throughout the city in miscellaneous offices and buildings for which high rentals are being paid. Illustrating the need of the enforcement of this policy and also the courage and good judgment of the police of this city, that department now occupies a building, in the security of which it has so little confidence that when a squad of the bluecoats are marching in or out of it, going on or off duty, they are instructed to break ranks for fear that should they keep step the uniform motion might cause the structure to fall about their ears.

The members of the Police Department have occupied this building for three years having become so accustomed to its possibilities for eccentric movement that they pay no heed to it other than to take care not to mark time or keep step within its walls.

BROKEN GLASS FOR CHINESE.

Possibly the question, "What becomes of broken glass?" may have suggested itself to those who have seen glaziers at work repairing windows, show cases and other articles in which the transparent sheets are used. On one of the docks the other day I saw hundreds of barrels of this glass packed in barrels ready for shipment to China. The explanation was given that the scavengers, particularly the Chinese, gather the white broken glass for shipment to the Orient, it being a considerable factor in commerce and used by the Chinese in making a solution with which they glaze their pottery.

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RAINMAKING MAY SOON BE SOLVED

Recent Experiments With Chemicals Show Problem is Being Mastered

WICHITA, Kas., Aug. 21.—Nikolai Tesla, the inventor, in a letter received here today by George G. Matthews, a "rainmaker" of Wichita, predicts a final successful solution of the artificial production of rain. He says: "I cannot recall that I have expressed myself on this subject before, but it is a fact that I have developed certain electrical appliances which will make it possible to control the precipitation of moisture from the atmosphere. A great production of this kind cannot be solved by one man. But a successful solution will come, the result of the co-operation of many."

Tesla asks Matthews, who is trying to produce rain by putting chemicals in the air, to report to him regarding what is accomplished.

IRRIGATION COMMITTEE ARRIVES IN MONTANA

GREAT FALLS, Mont., Aug. 21.—The United States Senate irrigation committee spent yesterday looking over the Sun River irrigation project and then proceeded down the Milk river valley on their special train to look over it and listen to the ideas of the settlers interested. They listened to complaints from the settlers on the Fort Shaw unit of the Sun river project yesterday. The settlers generally expressed themselves as satisfied with the situation except as to some of the details of management.

HOKE SMITH'S NEPHEW DROWNS IN PANAMA

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 21.—Gordon Smith, aged twenty-one, son of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Smith of this city, nephew of former Governor Hoke Smith, has been drowned in the Chagres river, Isthmus of Panama, according to a cablegram received today.

RAILWAY MAGNATE SPENDS ONE NIGHT IN A HAYSTACK

GREAT FALLS, Mont., Aug. 21.—President Louis Hill of the Great Northern Railway Company was compelled to spend a night this week in a haystack. He started from Helena to Great Falls in his automobile. Near Fort Shaw the machine stuck in a mud hole. He applied to a settler for a bed and supper, but was told that he could find a bed in a nearby hay stack and that he could help himself to refreshment at the pump.

When he did not appear here in a reasonable time a searching party started toward Helena. They found the automobile in the mudhole and a short inspection of the nearby neighborhood revealed Mr. Hill and his chauffeur sound asleep in the haystack.

ALFONSO'S WHISKERS ARE SHORT-LIVED

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—A special cable from London to THE TRIBUNE says: "When King Alfonso arrived at San Sebastian from Madrid he was wearing side whiskers and had his hair cut short. The King thought this gave him the appearance of an admiral in the former Emperor's uniform. He remarked to a friend that he would like to have his whiskers cut off. He was whiskered once more and looked younger."

FILE PETITIONS TO BE DECLARED BANKRUPTS

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—The creditors of W. C. Archer of this city have asked Judge De Haven to declare him an involuntary bankrupt. John C. Suhr, a restaurant manager of Oakland, has filed a petition in bankruptcy with debts of \$2850.

PRESIDENT MAHON OPPOSES STRIKE

Head of Carmen's Union Favors Amicable Settlement of Chicago Trouble

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—The arrival in this city today of President William D. Mahon of the International Street Car-men's Union gave a brighter outlook to the controversy between the street car companies and their employees, who have threatened to strike if their demands for higher wages are refused.

Although President Mahon declined to make any statement in regard to the situation, it is said that he is strongly opposed to a walkout and would endeavor to the best of his means to avert action on the part of the street carmen.

Immediately after his arrival here he was taken to union headquarters, where he held a conference with the officers of the local unions and the members of the wage scale committee, who have conducted the negotiations with the traction officials.

TWO MINOR BURGLARIES REPORTED TO POLICE

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—W. M. Kelly reported to the police this morning that he rented a room to an unknown man late last night, and that after the latter had been in the house but a few moments he missed \$5 from the mantlepiece in the front room, and has not seen his lodger since.

While shopping in a department store, Mrs. A. Richards, of 237 Thrift street, Ocean View, had her pocket picked of a purse containing \$3.

OAKLANDERS AT PORTLAND. EL PORTAL, Aug. 21.—The Alameda county arrivals at Hotel El Portal for Thursday, August 19, were: Mrs. E. H. Bunker, David L. Bunker, Oakland; Miss L. Patterson, Miss A. C. Edmonds, Berkeley.

CHURCH OFFICERS OPPOSE PERMIT

First Presbyterians Refuse to Sanction Railway Extension Near Their Property

At a meeting of the elders and trustees of the First Presbyterian Church, held Thursday night, a resolution was adopted that will cause a rescinding of their sanction to the plan of the Southern Pacific railroad giving it permission to pass along Franklin street, adjoining the church property.

This decision was reached after discussing the undesirability of a business dead line that would result from the operation of an electric road on Franklin street.

The opposition to the granting of such a franchise is steadily gaining strength. Among the chief opponents of the permit are H. C. Capwell, M. J. Layman, and Attorney Henry C. McKee, and they are preparing an estimate of the cost of a proposed private right of way, which would be purchased by the company and extend through the center of the block between Webster and Franklin streets. About \$250,000 would be the approximate expense.

NON-MAGNETIC SURVEY BEGINS IN THE ATLANTIC

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The non-magnetic surveying ship Carnegie will sail today from Brooklyn to begin for the Carnegie Institute at Washington the work of making a magnetic survey of the Atlantic, Indian and Pacific oceans and gathering data about magnetic attractions and variations in waters hitherto unexplored. She will proceed first to Gardiner's bay, Mass., for compass adjustment and then to St. Johns, N. F., the coast of Labrador and Hudson bay.

W. J. Peters of the Department of Terrestrial Magnetism of the Carnegie Institute, will have command of the expedition and he will have four assistants.

WOULD IMPROVE KEY ROUTE BASIN

Committee Confers With the Mayor Relative to Issuing Bonds for Waterfront

The proposed bond issue which is to be devoted to the development of the harbor in the Key Route basin was the subject of a long conference by Mayor Mott and a committee of the recently organized Western Water Front League Friday afternoon in the former's office at the city hall.

The committee, consisting of Oscar Breiling, president of the West Oakland Bank; former City Councilman George R. Stetson and Dr. R. E. McCracken, asked that an additional \$100,000 be used in the proposed construction of improvements in the western water front.

The Mayor stated that if practicable the request of the committee would be considered. The time for changing the present plans, he announced, was short, as the preliminary arrangements for the bonds to be issued would probably be started at the next meeting of the City Council.

NEGOTIABLE BONDS WORTH \$62,500 STOLEN

DAVENPORT, Okla., Aug. 21.—An express package containing \$62,500 in negotiable bonds of the City of Chandler, Oklahoma, was today reported stolen from the Wells-Fargo Express company, at Sapulpa, on the night of August 9.

The bonds had been sold to the Oklahoma Bond and Trust company, of Guthrie. The bonds are payable to bearer. No clue to the robbers has been found.

GIANT SEA LION MAKES SPECTACULAR ESCAPE TO FREEDOM

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 21.—Somewhere in Alaska Bay was a giant sea lion with a few feet of hitching rope attached to its neck. Yesterday the huge mammal, tied to a buoy by its captor, J. Holgate of Seal Rocks, Ore., refused to be dragged along the beach by a horse and turning seaward it made for its element. Holgate, to save himself, horse and vehicle, jumped from the rig in the sea lion's power and cut the rope. He was none too soon as his horse and rig, too light to withstand the sea lion's tugging, were dangerously near deep water.

The sea lion is estimated to weigh more than a ton and in its bolt for the bay, horse, man and buggy did not seem to be any hindrance to its progress.

SENATE AT OLYMPIA BLOCKS LEGISLATION

OLYMPIA, Wash., Aug. 21.—In the Senate today the resolution to ratify the income tax amendment to the Federal constitution was put over until the next regular session of the legislature, although the house recently acted favorably on the same proposition. The Senate also killed the bill providing a direct primary for the nominating of candidates to fill vacancies in congress and the supreme court, both of which passed the house.

SALE OF BALDWIN ANNEX CONFIRMED BY COURT

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 21.—Judge Wilbur of the Superior Court signed an order yesterday confirming the sale of "Baldwin Annex" in San Francisco to Abraham Aronson for \$400,000. The proceeds will go toward the liquidation of the note for \$1,250,000 secured by the late M. J. "Lucky" Baldwin to the Bernia Bank of San Francisco.

DUSTED CADETS WILL NOT TALK

Report Says Disgraced West Pointers May Appeal to President for Reinstatement

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—John H. Booker, Jr., Richard W. Hooker, Earl W. Dunmore, Chauncey W. Devere, Gordon LeFevre, Albert E. Crane and Jacob S. Forner, the cadets who have just been dismissed from West Point for having hazed Cadet Fulton, are all quartered at Hotel Astor. The young men refused to discuss their dismissal in any way, declaring that they had been advised to keep silent, but it is reported that they have discussed the best method to follow in order to be reinstated and they have come to the conclusion that their only hope lies in President Taft.

Academics Enter Mute Protest

According to accounts from West Point, the dismissal of the cadets was met with a sort of mute protest at the regular Friday hob. This dance is usually attended by from 150 to 200 cadets, but when the grand march started scarcely twenty cadets took part. The remainder of the corps remained away in the camp. John H. Booker, Jr., of West Point, Ga., the first-class cadet, who would have graduated next June and received notice of his dismissal while in camp of instruction, at Fort Hancock, S. D., Hook, was the last of the dismissed cadets to leave the academy. After his departure the cadet camp was subject to considerable depression.

GLACE BAY WIRELESS STATION DESTROYED

GLACE BAY, Aug. 21.—The Marconi wireless station, destroyed here, caused a loss of several thousand dollars. The building consumed the operating room and a quantity of valuable machinery and wireless apparatus. Marconi is expected to come here in the near future.

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house, owner leaving state this month; sacrifice at \$5,500. Will offer to sell for few days for \$4,700. Terms. Owner, 250 Ashby ave., bet. Tel. and Col. avenues Berkeley.

Bad English in Universities.

It is a grave and rather startling charge that President Faunce brings against American universities. He says they are murdering the English language. "I would like," he declared at Chautauqua, "to see the colleges of the country join in an effort to induce the American people to write and speak the English tongue decently. The colleges are not doing it now. Many of our college seniors cannot write a decent business letter." These are hard words; and, moreover, they are uttered by a college president of high repute as a scholar and educator. That there is much truth in them cannot be denied. A species of jargon is cultivated among the students at every college in the land—a compound of slang that is hardly intelligible to the uninitiated. The inability of many university graduates to write good English is notorious. Every newspaper editor is constantly made aware of this fact when he takes young college men on his staff. While we think President Faunce somewhat overstates the case, he is quite right in saying reform in this particular is urgently necessary. It is a reform which should begin in the institutions of higher learning. It is one of the first duties of colleges and universities to teach the youth of the land how to speak and write the mother tongue with clearness and precision, to clothe ideas in graceful and luminous language. Not only is the mechanical use of the vocabulary neglected, but the art of writing plainly and punctuating properly is falling into innocuous desuetude. There is too much superstructure and not enough underpinning to our system of education. Belles lettres is being cast aside for scientific smattering and technical courses tending to commercialism. Grammar and mathematics are subordinated to pseudo philosophy and professional training. In any system of education it is essential that students should be grounded in the structure of the mother tongue, the meaning and use of words, and the method of employing them that will give the fullest and clearest expression of thought in a manner at once direct, concise and graceful. Of what avail are logic and rhetoric without a knowledge of philology and grammar? Wood cannot be sawed with a sledge-hammer nor carved done with a saw. A knowledge of the use of tools and proficiency in their use are essential to efficiency and thorough workmanship in mechanics. The meaning of words and proficiency in their use are essential to correct speaking and writing; also to sound reasoning. But unhappily it is an essential too often disregarded in American universities. Hence we find a mass of mixed metaphor and confused thinking—undigested material—turned out of our colleges annually.

Subway Campaign of Education

Supervisor Joseph M. Kelley's campaign for a subway under the harbor to connect Oakland and Alameda and relieve the harbor fairway of the obstructions caused by the drawbridges at Webster and Harrison-street crossings is gaining headway rapidly. The improvement clubs in Alameda and the Chambers of Commerce of the two cities have been enlisted in the cause.

At present Mr. Kelley's campaign is strictly educational. He has collared a mass of information on the subject which carries weight with it, and his manner of marshaling it before his auditors is impressive. He has won over to his way of thinking many of the most influential citizens in both municipalities.

It may take a long time before this campaign of education takes the form of a campaign of action. But it will come to the latter, sooner or later, as a matter of imperative necessity. The maintenance of the drawbridges has already proved a drawback to the Federal government's interest in the development of the harbor. When Senator Burton, as chairman of the Rivers and Harbors Committee of the House of Representatives, took official cognizance of the presence of the drawbridges, he plainly stated that they acted as a bar to harbor development and strongly intimated that Congress would go slow in making appropriations for the purpose so long as they remained.

Mr. Kelley has shown conclusively through the statistics he has gathered with painstaking industry relating to Oakland commerce and interurban traffic that the bridges are interfering very materially with both, and that their interference is growing more serious as the commerce of the harbor grows and the travel between the two cities increases. The growth of commerce interrupts travel and the increase of travel increases the difficulty to keep the waterway free to commerce which has the right of way. The time is, in fact, approaching when the two cities directly and Alameda county at large will have to decide between abolishing the bridges and constructing subways for land travel or dwarfing the commercial facilities of the harbor in whose fullest development the whole county is vitally interested.

Oakland shows up again in the record of the bank clearing houses of the country, with a percentage of gain over the corresponding week of last year of 21.3 per cent. San Francisco shows an improvement over the preceding week with a gain of 14.2 per cent. Sacramento, for some unexplained reason, lost 82 per cent in the biennial comparison of the week's clearings, while Los Angeles shows that it has fully recovered from the business depression in which it was immersed this time last year by showing a gain of 40 per cent. A year ago, while Los Angeles was still struggling to escape from the financial doldrums, Oakland had recovered the welcome breeze of prosperity and was again moving with swelling sails all set. The gain Oakland shows in the comparisons between this year and last year's bank clearings is the percentage of increase in business; that of Los Angeles, that it is having restored what was temporarily lost through the almost total suspension of the tourist travel which the New York financial panic of the close of the year 1907 caused. No city in California felt the effects of that panic so keenly as Los Angeles or took so long a time to recover from them. But the gritty metropolis of Southern California is evidently getting back "in the swim" with both feet. And, it is of record, that no city on the continent recovered more quickly from the effects of the panic than Oakland did.

San Francisco has a conditional promise that the convention of the National Education Association shall be held there next year; but it is, according to the Examiner, in no condition to utilize the honor. What is to prevent Oakland making a bid for it? This city has now an established reputation as a convention city and no association in existence would be more welcome to enter its gates and be entertained by its citizens. The near proximity of the State University to this city will be an additional attraction to the members of the association. Oakland should make a strong bid for the convention now that San Francisco has cold feet on the proposition.

Hail the Redheaded Rooster!

The nation will gasp with delighted surprise to learn that the Hon. Jim Belford, the Redheaded Rooster of the Rockies, is still alive. Not only is he still living, but he is still a Champen of The Peepul, still the fiery, untamed, resonant, eloquent and pugnaquous enemy of sordid, freebooting wealth. In the Transmississippi Congress at Denver he reappeared as one risen from the dead, and shaking the dust of oblivion from his auroreous brow, lifted his jaw against the land barons and other malefactors engaged in plundering the people of their birthright. It was an imposing sight. Needless to say the welkin rang, and rang again, and again. And then the reverberating echoes of the sulphurous eloquence went thundering through the rocky gorges of the Sierra Madre, from South Pass to the Purgatory river, from the head waters of Bitter Creek to the chasm of the Grand Canyon, and made the whole world stand up and take notice. The wicked everywhere trembled. The land thieves hunted their holes, and the Hon. Tom Patterson changed his position for the fifth time. The terror inspired when the baron of Sheppy called for his boots was a slight apprehension compared to the dire fear which thrills the souls of evildoers, especially those with bank accounts, when the Hon. Jim Belford flings his bronze scaplock to the breeze and rushes with drawn tongue on the enemy. Halley's comet blazing across the firmament is not a more inspiring sight than the Redheaded Rooster in action. Nor less likely to cause a cataclysm. But he does draw a crowd and make a h—ll of a noise. It is a pleasure to have him with us again. He is a fine drawing card to the Hon. Tom Watson of Piney Woods Crossing, Georgia, and the Hon. William Jennings Bryan, the silver-tongued orator of the Platte. No other three of a kind can beat them. Long may they survive and keep the articulate nerve vibrating. So long as they stand guard over the Peepul's rights, the wicked will be compelled, in the language of the Hardshell preacher, flee to the mountains of Hepsidam, where the lion roareth and the whangdoodle mourneth for his first born. Glorious trial!

Passing of a Good Citizen.

With the death of James B. Stetson the passing of one of San Francisco's oldest and best known merchants is noted. Stetson began life as a tinsmith. Forty years ago or more he started in business on his own account and was throughout the seventies located on Front street. He was reputed to be one of the most expert men in the country in the laying out of a tin roof, and tin roofing was in those days a big business in San Francisco, and he got the lion's share of the trade. So successful was he, in this profitable line that Holbrook & Merrill, his strongest rivals in the trade, took him into partnership, and the firm became known as Holbrook, Merrill & Stetson, which name it bears today. Stetson continued his relationship with the firm up to the time of his death. For a great many years he had also been conspicuously identified with street railroading in San Francisco as the president of the California street cable railway. He took an active interest in every movement for the advancement of San Francisco's commercial interests. Stetson was of a philanthropic turn of mind. This was manifested more notably in the active part he took in relieving the distress of the Pitcairn islanders in the later seventies, when the news was brought to San Francisco that the descendants of the Bounty mutineers were in want. Through his personal efforts a large stock of supplies, food, clothing, musical instruments and books was collected for their relief, and he induced a British shipmaster to go out of his course on the voyage to Liverpool with a cargo of wheat and touch at the island and land the stores. This was done and Stetson earned thereby the gratitude and friendship of the islanders for the rest of his days. He took a deep interest in every public movement for the betterment of San Francisco without thrusting his personality to the front. Probably no man in the community was more generally respected as a citizen and a business man through his long career. His life was one of even tenor and he died in the fullness of years.

School Text Book Condemned

Some one associated with the administration of Oakland's public school affairs has laid himself wide open to the severest criticism for the adoption by the Board of Education of a school text-book—a geography—which gives Oakland a body blow by not only ignoring it in the text and in the maps it contains as one of the great commercial cities of the Pacific Coast, for next to San Francisco it has a larger commerce now than any other city in the State, but it adds insult to ignorance of fact by placing its population at 60,000. Of course, the Board of Education voted blindly on some one's recommendation. The question which most concerns the people of Oakland and those interested in the city's reputation abroad is, Who is responsible for the recommendation which resulted in the adoption of this particular work as a text-book for the public schools?

Oakland has enough to contend against in the face without its gates who, through envious interest, are industriously misrepresenting its status in the matter of population, commerce, industrial development, wealth and prospective growth. These misrepresentations are, however, easily met and refuted. The most dangerous enemy Oakland has is the traitor from within—who, through falsification of facts or otherwise, places the city in a false position and degrades it in the eyes of those abroad who are not acquainted with it. The adoption of the text-book in question by the Board of Education on some one's recommendation, is an approval of its lying contents regarding this city. The only remedy for the offense committed is to throw out the offending text-book.

The incident revives the irritation which the practice of changing text-books in the public school produces. Not a term goes by without changes being made. The only settled policy seems to be to change text-books whenever a glib-tongued agent of a school book publisher comes around. It is a source of constant expense to parents and they reasonably rail against it, because the books which one child has used to carry it through the course cannot be used by the next in line. The fact that the discarded books are not worthless is proved by an allowance being made in the exchange for the new book. The old book is, of course, sold to some country school district at a low rate. The policy of frequent changes in text-books is bad. It is, moreover, an outrageous imposition on parents and, besides, disorganizes the whole system of study. And it leads also to just such outrageous mistakes and the scandals associated with them as that which has been exposed by Councilmen Vose and Cobbledick, and righteously condemned by the East Oakland Republican Club, in the geography which belittles Oakland.

It is an infallible law of commerce that it gravitates to that place which provides the best facilities for its accommodation. Oakland must bear that fact constantly in mind.

A SERMON IN A STORY

Why the Cobweb Broke

Written Especially For
The Oakland Tribune
By Benjamin Fay Mills
Minister of the Oakland Fellowship

THERE is a Buddhist legend that whenever a Buddha is born a ray of light and hope shines into the darkest spot in the universe. On one of these occasions we are told that every inhabitant of the lowest world experienced a thrill of good cheer. Among these was a man who was reputed to be the worst of all those who had ever been confined in hell. As this ray of light illumined his dark heart, he lifted up his eyes and uttered a great cry. As he did so he saw, a long distance before him, the form of an angel, and he cried out again and again until the angel said to him: "What do you want?" He replied: "I want to get out. Oh, that I might be delivered from this agony!" Then the angel asked him to tell some of the good deeds which he had done while living upon earth. Now this man was not like most of us, for we are all so virtuous that we would not be abashed at such a question, but would be able to tell the angel at once concerning our good deeds. This poor fellow, however, after some minutes of thought, could recall only one virtuous deed that he had ever performed, and he said to the angel: "There was one time when I was walking through the forest, and as my eyes fell upon the path I saw a spider upon whom my foot was about to fall, but out of compassion for the poor insect I turned one side and did not crush it to death."

He had hardly said this when down from above, held by invisible hands, there was suspended a cobweb, and the angel said: "Climb up this cobweb and you will be delivered from hell." The man began slowly to make his way upward, using the delicate material as though it were a ladder, and finding that it held together, he gradually came nearer and nearer the top. The light from above was shining down upon him and he was experiencing great emotions of relief, when he chanced to look beneath him, and as he did so, he saw that all the



denizens of hell were taking advantage of his good fortune and seizing the opportunity to climb out after him. This filled him with great and selfish alarm and he began to be afraid that the cobweb would break, and he called down to those below him in a shrill voice of agony: "Let go, all of you! This cobweb is mine." He had hardly uttered the deadly word "mine" when the cobweb did break and they all tumbled back into hell. I do not profess to be an authority on the particulars of eschatology, and will not suggest what might have happened to the lost world if the man had never uttered the fatal word and the cobweb had held together. But of this I am sure, that it is the selfish spirit that causes all the wickedness of human society; and all the misery, both the sin and sorrow, would be lifted out of our present world if men would manifest the spirit toward one another that was shown by this man in the legend when he turned aside, rather than crush the helpless insect beneath his foot.

Paignton's Big Puddings

The tiny resort of Paignton in Devonshire will, in August, revive a curious historical festival. Centuries ago it was the custom there to make a huge pudding for distribution among the poor. In later years, however, it was only made on the occasion of some important event. On the conclusion of the Continental Wars, which ended with Waterloo, for instance, a pudding weighing a ton and a half was made and baked in sections. It cost £25 10s, and among the ingredients were 573 pounds of flour, 181 pounds of bread, 382 pounds of raisins, 191 pounds of currants, 382 pounds of suet, 320 lemons, 360 quarts of milk, 144 nutmegs, 95 pounds of sugar and a large number of eggs. In 1859 Paignton again distinguished itself by making a Christmas pudding of similar weight, but since then those responsible have been satisfied with comparatively diminutive examples, averaging about 200 pounds each. The latter, however, were merely made for church bazaars and festivals, and

did not really constitute the famous Paignton pudding, which, according to rule, is only made every fifty years. This year is the fiftieth anniversary of the occasion when the pudding was last made in honor of the opening of the railway. A somewhat similar custom is observed at Denby Dale, near Huddersfield, where for over a hundred years the inhabitants have baked large pies in commemoration of remarkable events. As far back as the recovery of George III the practice prevailed, and another occasion was the conclusion of peace between England and France in 1815, when the pie contained half a sheep, twenty fowls, and half a sack of flour. To celebrate her late Majesty's Jubilee a pie was baked in a dish weighing 15 cwt. It was 8 feet in diameter, 2 feet in depth, and the total weight was over two tons. The cost was £280, and it was drawn by ten horses. Unfortunately the pie when cut was found to be uneatable, and another was made in the following September, when more than 2000 persons partook of it—London Tit Bits.

Why Drunken Men See Double

A scientific writer has given his opinion why drunken men see double. In the first place, it is essential that the "elevated" party must have two good eyes. No amount of liquor would make a one-eyed man see two half-crowns where only one exists. When we wish to see distinctly we adjust the eyes by converging them more or less, so that the image falls upon the sensitive point of the retina. If the object is too far off to enable us to get a distinct image in either eye, the eyes are so constructed that they can bring the object nearer, or we can, by contracting the eye-muscles, bring the retina nearer the lens, thus getting a clear sight of the object. Both eyes may be moved either upward or downward, or to the right or to the left, but it is impossible to direct one of them upward and the other downward. If we converge the eyes so that the two images fall on the sensitive point of the corresponding retinae, we get in the brain a sharp image. If, however, from any cause, we are not able to move the eyeballs so as to have this image fall squarely on to the retina, we see double. This seeing double can be caused by temporary or permanent paralysis of the muscles of the eyeballs. For permanent paralysis there may be any one of several causes. Excessive use of alcohol, or of tobacco, will produce temporary paralysis. Under the influence of strong drink the controlling muscles of the eye, like others of the body, are not under command; hence, some drunken men stagger in their speech, others stagger in their walk, and others see double.—London Tit Bits.

Foreign Notes

King Edward VII is the most heavily insured man alive. . . . London uses in one way or another 200,000 tons of ice a year. . . . In every mile of railway there is 7 feet 4 inches not covered by the rails—the space left for expansion. . . . The season's record strawberry was gathered at Walsoken, in West Norfolk. It weighed two ounces and had a circumference of 8 1/4 inches. . . . Between eight and nine every morning 164,000 persons enter the city of London; every evening, between six and seven, 175,000 leave. . . . Japanese workmen are obliged to wear on their caps and backs an inscription stating their business and their employer's name. . . . One of the managers of the Martham (Norfolk) School has offered prizes to the children who attend school with the cleanest boots. . . . A Kirkcaldy policeman has been getting married. The carriage in which he returned from the manse bore this placard: "Handcuffed for life—with no reprieve." . . . Nearly all the Bibles sent to Uganda are bound in tin, in order to guard against the voracious African ants, which frequently completely devour the ordinary covers of books. . . . In twenty-five years the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children has befriended close upon a million and a half children, and dealt with 700,000 offenders.

Bachelor's Musings

Handsome is as handsome is dressed up in frills and finery. . . . The way the average man likes to climb the ladder of success is on somebody else's back. . . . It can even seem sentimental to a girl if a man tries to kiss her on the mouth and does it on the nose. . . . A thing that makes a mother have confidence in her daughter is to know how she needs it to keep from being unhappy about it. . . . One of the biggest jobs in life is for a man to love his wife about a millionth part as much as it sounds in their love letters. . . . Japanese workmen are obliged to wear on their caps and backs an inscription stating their business and their employer's name. . . . One of the managers of the Martham (Norfolk) School has offered prizes to the children who attend school with the cleanest boots. . . . A Kirkcaldy policeman has been getting married. The carriage in which he returned from the manse bore this placard: "Handcuffed for life—with no reprieve." . . . Nearly all the Bibles sent to Uganda are bound in tin, in order to guard against the voracious African ants, which frequently completely devour the ordinary covers of books. . . . In twenty-five years the National Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children has befriended close upon a million and a half children, and dealt with 700,000 offenders.

Pointed Paragraphs

It's better for a man to be forgetful than to be getting full. . . . Beauty is but skin deep—and there are a lot of thin-skinned people. . . . No doubt the June bride has begun to unlearn a few things she knew. . . . What a delightful old world this would be if it could buy experience on credit. . . . We admire people who hand us the kind of advice we intended to follow anyway. . . . A woman has to worry about something to keep from worrying about something else. . . . Some people believe that death ends all, but the numerous lives of great men to be found in bookstores tend to disprove the theory.

SHORT SNAPPY SAYINGS

Willie had been spending the afternoon with a little boy who lived in the next block. "Did you have a nice time, Willie?" asked his mother upon his return home. "Not very," was the reply. "Johnny's mother kept hangin' round all the time." . . . Stubb—What's the trouble, old chap? You look angry enough to fight. Penn—Oh, I'm aching. It took me an hour to button up my wife's waist in the back, and then I told her a joke and she laughed so much the buttons all flew open. What's the use in telling a woman a joke, anyhow?—Chicago News. . . . The actors that Lionel knows most about are the sort that do lofty feats in the circus. He has a proper appreciation of the danger of their calling and the means adopted for their safety. Recently he heard his father mention the name of Sir Henry Irving. "Who is Sir Henry Irving, father?" asked Lionel. "He was a great actor," said dad. "What show is he with?" "He isn't with any show now. He's dead." "Gee! Did he miss the net?"—Buffalo Express. . . . "Why, Johnny, what are you crying so about?" "Got a Hickin'!" "Well, don't you mind." "Gwan! That wot I wuz licked fer!"—Cleveland Leader. . . . Passerby—Here, boy, your dog has bitten me on the ankle. Dog Owner—Well, that's as high as he could reach. You wouldn't expect a little pup like him to bite your neck, would yer?—Pearson's Weekly. . . . Judge—This lady declares that you hugged her at the baseball game. The Accused—Couldn't help it, Judge. She was sitting next me when one of our boys swatted a homer over left field fence!—Puck. . . . He—I feel like a fool tonight. She—So glad you've recovered.—Boston Transcript.

Political Comment

New York Democrats have decided to hold a meeting at Saratoga next month to take counsel looking to the betterment of their party in the state. Its present condition mortifies them. Without power or credit, it limps along like a cripple, and is a reflection on its once robust self. They would set it firmly on its pins again, and give it a leadership suggestive of its better days. . . . A worthy ambition, but confronted with many difficulties.—Washington Evening Star. . . . One very good way the Democratic administration might have found to forestall the need to increase the assessments throughout the state would have been to act a little less like a hungry steer turned into the alfalfa patch when it got a chance to spend State cash.—Denver Republican. . . . The tariff having been disposed of the next fight will be on the proposal to amend the Constitution for the purpose of authorizing a Federal income tax. The spirit of paternalistic interference would be an innovation of far-reaching disastrous influence. To set limits to the property a man may acquire—to grab his heap when it reaches a tempting height—that would be in the direction of a reversion to savagery—a state in which progress is arrested because the average man does not care to exert himself unless he can feel assured that he will be protected in the avails of his toil.—Evans, Wisconsin.

Twenty Years Ago in Oakland

The Board of Public Works is searching for sources of supply of water for use by the citizens of Oakland other than those by means of which water now brought to this city. Explaining his signing of the protest against the improvement of Eighth street, Supervisor D. C. Brown says: "I am in favor of macadamizing the street and I believe that every man who signed the protest believes the same way, but the proceedings were begun the wrong way." The League of Freedom is reorganized in Germania Hall with the following officers: W. M. Kent, president; J. D. Taylor, vice president; Hugo Fugel, secretary; Charles Pettit, treasurer; M. Marcus, Edward Hacer, Hugo Fugel and W. M. Kent are appointed a committee to prepare resolutions in honor of the memory of the late Joseph Dieves. Miss Wilhelmine Augusta Bruhan sues Rudolph Franke for \$50,000 damages, claiming that the defendant, the pickle man on Grove street, had wronged her. Franke denies the charge. G. S. Abbott, State Sunday school missionary of the Baptist church, organizes the Sunday school institute in the First Baptist church. W. J. Dinges has purchased Fred Delger's splendid collection of exotics which are now being moved to the conservatory of Mr. Dinges's home in Hays canyon.

Pardee Stopped Over at Spokane

The Pacific Congressional Organ. We cannot get away from the thought that Dr. Pardee "stopped over" at the irrigation congress at Spokane, when he criticized Secretary of the Interior Ballinger. It would have been better had Dr. Pardee stuck to his manuscript, Ballinger is an able lawyer, and the indications now are that he has been acting in these land reserve matters with the full knowledge of the administration at Washington. It is a mistake to brand as a knave a man prominent in the public service, simply because he does not please men of every opinion and faction. There is far too much of a disposition to do this; it causes not a few people to think that all men in public life are despicable in some way. The present writer recalls in this connection a letter which he received from Benjamin Harrison, when he was a United States Senator from Indiana, a short time before his election to the Presidency. It was concerning a postoffice appointment. Favoring a certain candidate, the widow of an old soldier, a letter had been written in her advocacy. It was strong, but yet it ended with the statement, "Nevertheless whatever the outcome I shall feel that you did what in your judgment seemed for the best." A letter came back from Senator Harrison in which were these words: "It is a real comfort to have a man write to me about a postoffice who is willing to admit that the party will not go to the devil if I do not do what he wants, and who is further willing to admit that my judgment of the matter upon the papers submitted will be kindly accepted." The trouble too frequently is that people think things will go all to the devil if what they wish does not come. Senator Harrison evidently found it that way more frequently than the other way. Similarly as to the policy of the new Secretary of the Interior and Dr. Pardee and those of whom he was the mouthpiece.

DYNAMITE

Dynamite, when frozen, must be carefully and thoroughly thawed, not only to reinstate its full explosive capacity, but to eliminate the excess of danger that accompanies it in that state. In order to promote an even transformation, a heat must be used that may be controlled, and can never rise above 100 degrees Fahrenheit, even when neglect permits it to free to accumulation, as the explosive begins to undergo a change at 168 degrees and becomes extremely sensitive to any shock or disturbance. It explodes at 388 degrees of heat. One of the best methods of thawing is to insert the sticks in tubes surrounded by hot water. Any attempt at heating after the tubes are inserted causes unequal distribution of heat, and the consequent dangerous condition. For thawing on a large scale, a building heated with steam or water coils is serviceable, provided, there are no primers, men or tools within during the process.

Recipe For Flying

Mix a thousand feet of lumber With a million yards of luck; Take a hundred yards of canvas And a billion miles of pluck; Get a barrel of indifference, With a tank of gasoline, And a field by some big city Where you surely will be seen; Rig a queer, new fangled rudder, Turn it shipshape with a wheel, Get a thousand dollar motor And some nervous flier steel; Get your picture in the paper, Say you're "not quite ready yet," And if you don't take a tumble— Why, just light a cigar-ette. When the whole thing's put together Call it your "new aeroplane," And if you don't succeed at first, Why, fly, fly again. Get a President if handy, And of senators a score, A regiment of cavalry, And, of course, a signal corps. Pick a day that's calm and windless, With a clear and cloudless sky; Get aboard and start the motor, And then—well, perhaps you'll fly. —New York World.

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BUNGALOW BURNS AS BABIES SLEEP

Five Persons Have a Narrow Escape From Horrible Death at Larkspur

LARKSPUR, Aug. 21.—With the rafters of their bungalow falling about them, Mrs. R. E. Allan and her two children, her mother and Dr. and Mrs. F. B. Kennwood and two babies, escaped from their burning cottage early this morning. The fire had burned the roof from the cottage before it was discovered and only the heroism of the older people prevented the death of the children and of Mrs. Shaw, aged 90 years.

It is thought that the fire caught from a defective electric wire. At 3 o'clock Dr. Kennwood was awakened by a crackling noise. He did not discover the cause and returned to his bed. A few minutes later Mrs. Allan was awakened and found the ceiling of her dining-room burning fiercely. The children were carried from the building only a moment before the roof fell in.

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WRIGHT BROTHERS' DEATHS PREDICTED

"They Will Kill Themselves," Declares Local Aeronaut, "In Daring Feats"

EDITOR TRIBUNE.—Having given some of the best years of my life to the aviation business, I was not a parachute jumper—and having made as an inventor among aeronauts of the 60's and 70's, I deem it very probable that the readers of THE TRIBUNE would be interested in the words of one who has given to aerial efforts many things, some of which are now in universal use. I went to Dreamland Park the other night expecting to find a very interesting and largely original exhibit of flying machines and found but one that to me looked like an intelligent effort to go a step beyond the achievements of which the daily papers tell.

Lot of Half-Made Models

There was a lot of half-made models, with not one soul to tell anyone anything about them, and this silence from the inventor, and his absence from the platform was notable. I never thought of what the moving picture machine might do—you see I am a mosquitoe—and there was the surprise and it was not coming to the earth, as I thought, but to the sky. I saw in motion every modern machine that has invaded the eyes of the world. Electrically controlled, it was perfectly depicted and one of the most brilliant of the spirit that finally leaped from France to England across the stormy channel, with speed and ease never before attained.

Saw Wright Catastrophe

I saw the machine with which a Wright killed an officer of the United States Army and broke his own bones, and wondered that he ever went into the air without coming to the earth, as I thought, but to the sky. I saw in motion every modern machine that has invaded the eyes of the world. Electrically controlled, it was perfectly depicted and one of the most brilliant of the spirit that finally leaped from France to England across the stormy channel, with speed and ease never before attained.

Big Race Interesting

The audience looked into the faces of the inventors while in action and saw the conquerors of the air make each in turn the records that made them kings of the boundless ocean above the earth. The International Balloon race at St. Louis was of intense interest, and it was splendidly shown, but the best exhibit in that line was made by one of the men who sailed with Captain Park Van Tassel in the Berkeley ascent last spring. The views taken above the clouds were beyond all and the high speed with it was a witty, scholarly and eloquent effort by Master, who is certainly a master aerialist.

Vander Nallen the Best

Professor Vander Nallen, the president of the Oakland Aero Club, was the best individual entertainer, and although he talked long, the audience wanted more. His story of the recent hard-wire field-plowing descent in a gas was fresh, fine and breezy. He challenged the Friscoans to an endurance balloon race. The president of the San Francisco Club, J. C. Irvine, was very much at home on the platform, and he was accompanied by the Vice-President, Charles Bradley, who explained the moving pictures in so far as there was anything left to explain.

What He Expected

At this exhibition I expected to see two or three dozen old cranks, like myself, with that many young enthusiasts, dancing around some half-gear mechanical birds, but instead I saw a steady stream of solid men and women pouring in and fairly filling the great auditorium. And they evidently appreciated the overwhelmingly thrilling scenes on the screen. I expected to see some or three with gray matter in the skull, but what they had done or would do, and for them I was there. Not one peeped, or he did he was so silent that his existence was not revealed to the public.

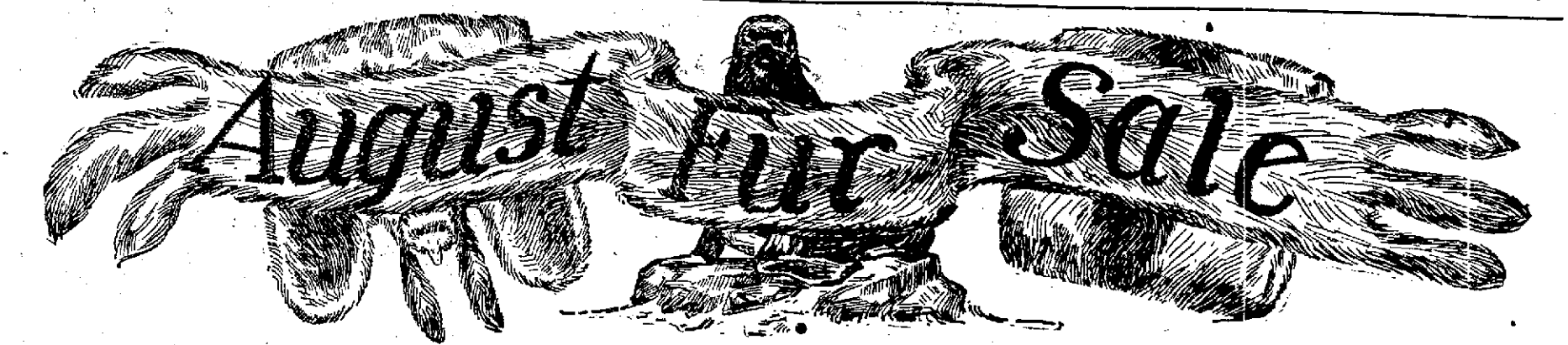
It's a Splendid Exhibit

Hopes were expressed, it is true, but no one said a word of showed a machine or a design that gave promise of a step in advance of those already taken, but we all saw and heard what was a splendid exhibit in the way of up-to-date aeronautics. The Oakland Aero Club should recognize the high mark made by the people on the foggy side of the bay and then supply all they left out and beat them where they were great. J. H. PIERCE.

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The Always Busy Store

Kahns'



Guaranteed Furs at Special Prices

EVERY PRICE QUOTED BELOW IS AT LEAST A FOURTH LESS THAN REGULAR

These furs are all brand new—just unpacked—and the styles are strictly down to the minute.

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These coats are made of genuine skins, and have plain or fancy silk linings.

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30-Inch Coats	\$34.80
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In this Sale are many beautiful

Russian Pony Coats, Persian Lamb Coats, Electric Seal Coats, Nearseal Coats and Sable Squirrel Coats.

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Made from the choicest skins. They look so nearly like the finest genuine Alaska Seal Coat that even an expert might be deceived.

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Very handsome garments, made of first quality skins, and guaranteed to give good wear.

30-Inch Coats	\$30.00
36-Inch Coats	\$35.00
42-Inch Coats	\$40.00
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Fashionable Fancy Furs

In Japanese Mink, Squirrel, Sable Fox, Opossum, Water Mink, River Mink and Marmot—this season's choicest styles in Neck Furs and Muffs—all on sale this month

At Very Special Prices

\$50.00 Mink Stoles for \$40.00—\$100.00 Mink Stoles for \$80.00—\$200.00 Mink Stoles for \$160.00

EXTRA—Chinese Black Lynx Large Stoles and Rug Muffs

Only fifty pieces in the lot—worth \$20 each—

SPECIAL PRICE FOR THIS SALE

Fashionable Black Furs

We have a splendid collection—in European Lynx, American Lynx, Fox Lynx, Chinese Lynx and French Coney—and during this sale will sell them all

At Very Special Prices

Beautiful Broadcloths For Capes

\$1.25

Capotes are going to be immensely popular this season. They are a trifle daring, but give their wearers a jaunty and most stylish appearance. And they give more freedom than a coat. Naturally the broadcloths stand at the fore-front of cape materials. Their firm texture and rich lustre give them precedence over all rival fabrics. The quality we advertise today at \$1.25 a yard is 52 inches wide and a matchless value. It has a more beautiful finish and greater substance than any broadcloth we have ever seen at the price. We have all the following colors now in stock—tan, champagne, pearl gray, medium gray, old rose, wood-rose, catwaba, Alice blue, Copenhagen, wisteria, electric, peacock, olive, dark green, taupe, smoke, raisin, cardinal, garnet, brown, navy, royal and black. For many seasons this store has been recognized as Broadcloth Headquarters—and our leadership will be more pronounced this fall than ever before.

\$1.25

Dress Goods Special

50c Black-and-White Checks 39c

Every woman knows how fashionable the black-and-white checks were last summer—and they haven't lost an iota of their popularity. We have just received a special purchase of these desirable fabrics that was made by our buyer while on his recent semi-annual trip to market. The goods have a cashmere finish—come in four different size checks—and are superior to the quality that usually sells at 50c a yard. Our price for this special lot is 39c

NEW AND STYLISH SILKS

IN A SPECIAL SALE TOMORROW

Beautiful Messaline Silks
Handsome Louise Silks
Fine Chiffon Taffeta Silks
Dependable Taffeta Silks

Some of these Silks Are Worth \$1.25 a Yard—Not a Single Yard Is Worth Less than \$1.00

Charming New Trimmings for Early Autumn Wear

We are not quite ready to announce our Formal Millinery Opening—it is to be such a grand affair that our preparations will take several days yet. But the show is already beautiful, and there's a steadily rising tide of new styles that offers a constantly broadening choice.

The stunning large hats—rolled high on the right side and with a long, soft roll in the back—are picturesque and very popular for early autumn wear. They are handsomely trimmed with wings and fancies. The colors in greatest demand are black, taupe, rose, bronze and the different tones of blue.

May we have the pleasure of showing them to you? You will find our prices very reasonable. We sell millinery—as we do everything else—at the smallest possible profit, consistent with safe storekeeping.



Val. Laces

Edgings and insertions, in an almost unending variety of pretty patterns—1/2 to 1 1/4 inches wide—on sale this week at 12 yards for 25c

Ribbons

All Silk Taffeta Ribbon in every leading color—2 1/4 inches wide—regular price 16 2/3c yard—special 9c

Kerchiefs

Women's Crossbar and Plain Hemstitched Handkerchiefs—very much better than the price would indicate—each 5c

New Belts

Beaded Elastic Belts—black only—brand new—a small lot—special value at, each 50c

Beds

\$14.00 Oxidized Iron Beds

\$35 Hair Mattress Kahns' A No. 1 Quality \$25

\$7.00 Combination Mattress—Double \$5

Springs

\$15 Floss Mattress Kahns' A No. 1 Quality \$11

\$4.50 Combination Mattress—Single \$3.25

Mattresses

\$12 Floss Mattress Kahns' A No. 2 Quality \$9

\$5 Crib Mattress Kahns' A No. 1 Quality \$4

Flannels

Yard wide Shaker Flannel—a surprisingly fine quality for the price—in fact, it cannot be duplicated for anywhere near the money—only 350 yards in the lot, so come early—per yard 12c

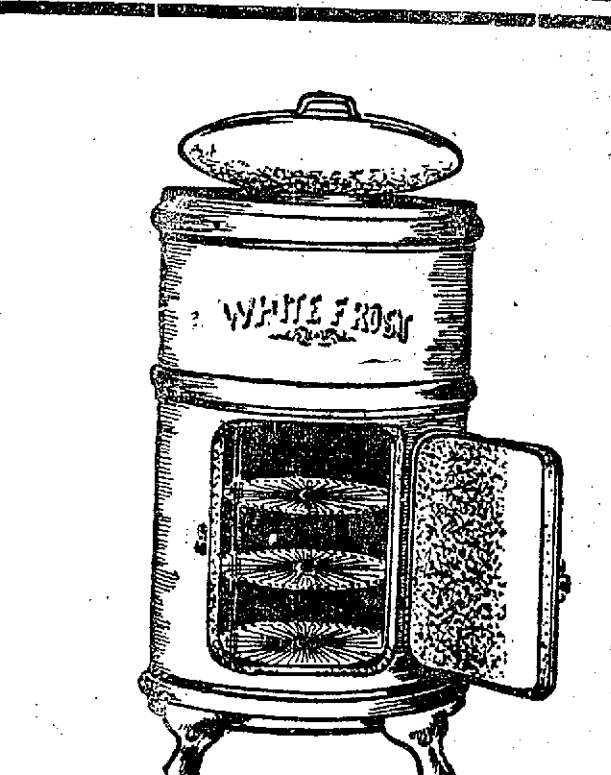
The China Store

Offers as one of its special attractions this week

An Exquisite Dinner Set at \$20.00

This set is made of the finest, lightest and most transparent of Austrian china, and is decorated with gold coin bands that won't wear off. The plates have plain edges, as that is the proper idea this season. The set contains every necessary piece for a family of six, and would be cheap at \$35.00. Never before, to our knowledge, has a Dinner Set of equal quality and beauty been offered at \$20.

Kahn Bros
THE ALWAYS BUSY STORE
TWELFTH AND WASHINGTON STS. OAKLAND

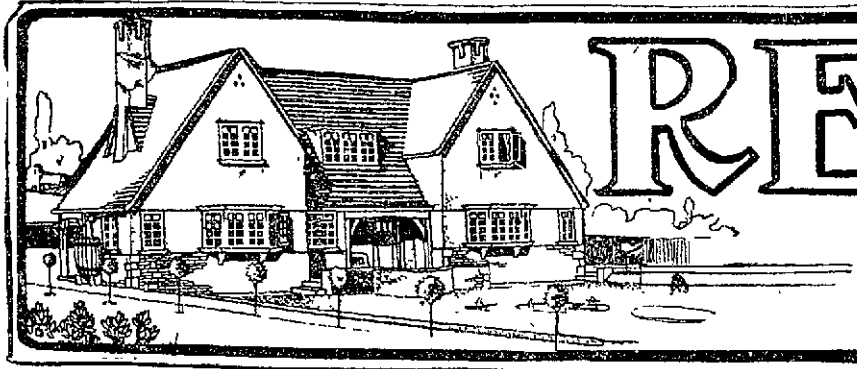


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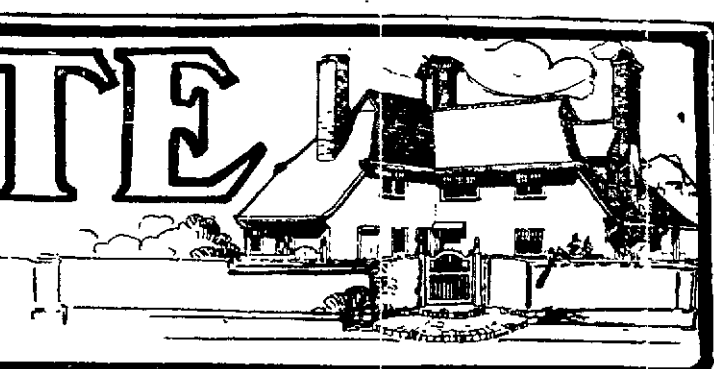
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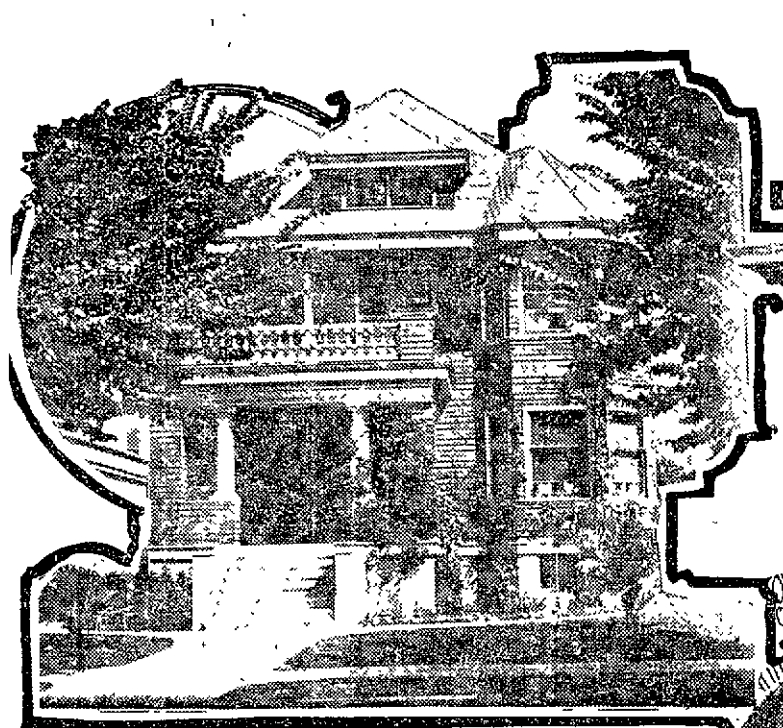
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RESIDENCE OF A.A. DARTKE
#291 LEE ST.



RESIDENCE OF H.E. STARBUCK
#116 LAKE ST.



RESIDENCE OF D.B. BEADLE
#1200 SHERMAN ST.



RESIDENCE A. BAUMGARTNER
#330 LENOX AVE.



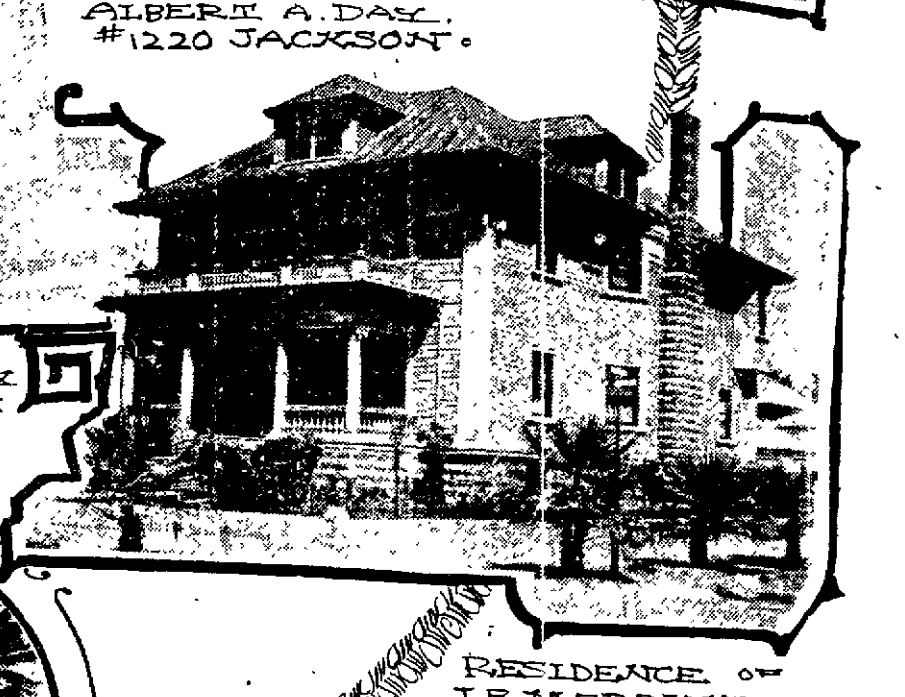
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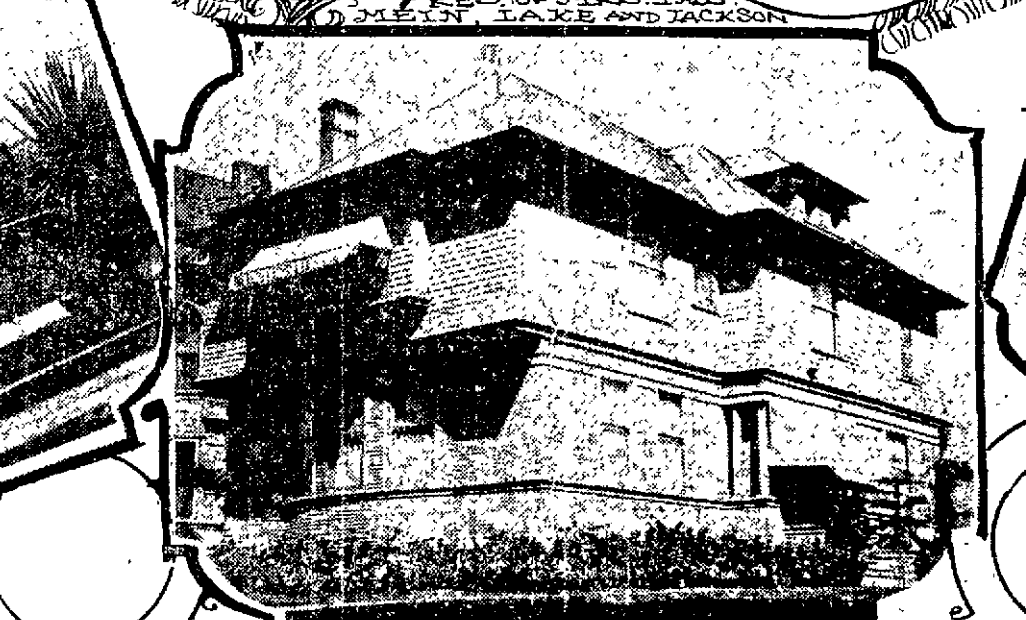
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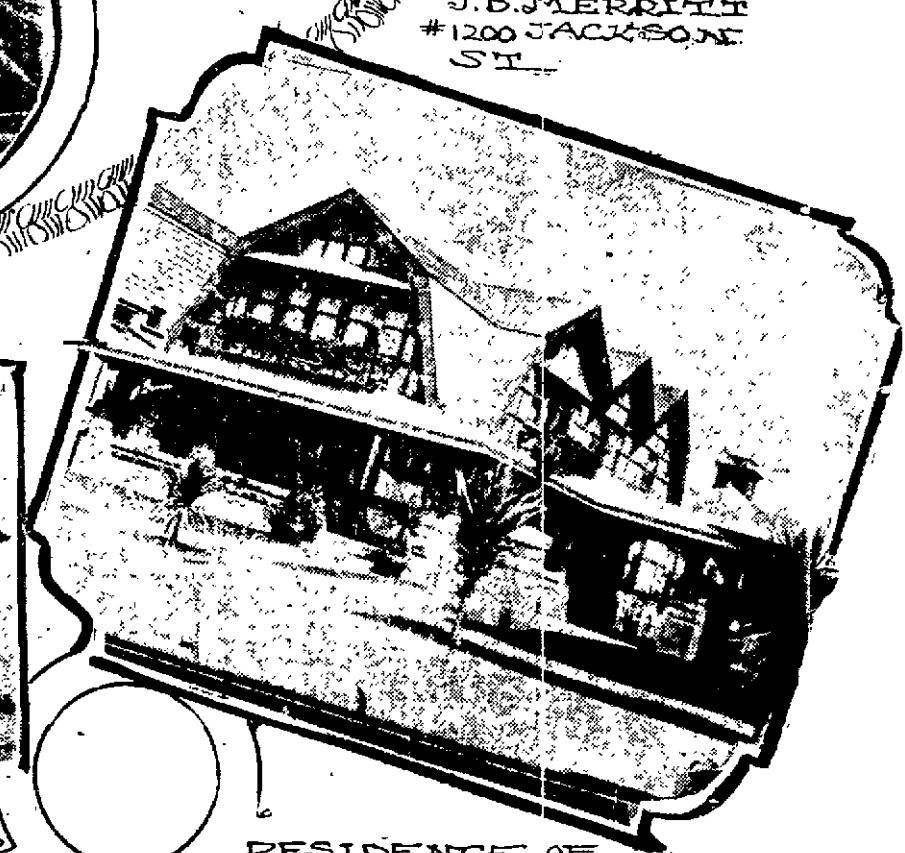
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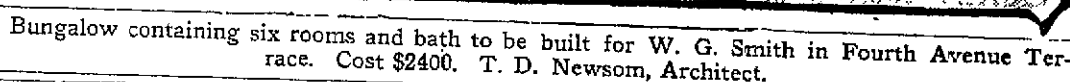
RESIDENCE OF E.R. FOLGER
#1351 MADISON ST.



RESIDENCE OF
J.S. MEYERS
#1290 ALICE ST.

OAKLAND RUSHING AHEAD

The company is rushing plans ahead for the construction of a new passenger depot at Sixteenth street which will be worthy of the corporation and the big city it is serving. The managers of the corporation recognize the present and future importance of this city and are as optimistic of its future growth as any one interested in it and the depot will be constructed on lines as broad and extensive as the terminal depot at the broad gauge, only it will be built on a more ornamental style of architecture and on a scale that will conform with the future wants of the city, and that on the assumption that it will continue to grow hereafter more rapidly than it has done during the past three years which, it is conceded by Vice-President Julius Kruttschnitt, the general manager of the Harriman system, it will surely do. The new depot will probably mean an expenditure of at least \$250,000, and possibly double the amount, as the plans which Mr. Kruttschnitt has rejected as inadequate involved an estimated expenditure of \$127,000. What is most to the point is that Oakland is to have a depot at the main gateway to the city that will be



Rumors are afloat that the Santa Fe Railroad Company is preparing to extend its main line from Emeryville on the north to a more central and nearer point to the main business quarters on the south side of the city so as to

Public and private improvements are keeping on the move. Every week witnesses new progress of a material character. Park improvements are being rushed. The completion of the salt water fire protective system is being hastened. New permanent street pavements are being laid. Scores of new corners are being added to the population and building activity continues to provide for their wants. Comparatively few vacant houses exist. Office accommodations have to be enlarged and new stores are being erected to meet the demands of business. And great plans are on the eve of being put into effect for the purpose of giving commerce the additional facilities which it is pressing on the community to supply on its water front. If these are not indications of growth and permanent prosperity, what shall constitute satisfactory evidences?

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Chinese located when driven out of San Francisco by the big conflagration of April, 1906. Many of the buildings erected in that quarter have during the past year been erected.

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NEIGHBORING CITIES AND SUBURBAN TOWNS ARE GROWING STEADILY

Ferry Landing and Terminal Depot of Western Pacific R. R. on Northern Side of Entrance to Oakland Harbor, Nearly Completed, and Costing \$30,000



SCENE OF GREAT RAILROAD ACTIVITY

Rumors Concerning Alleged Santa Fe Plans—W. P. R. R. Operations

The southwest corner of the Sixth ward is not only a scene of great railroad activity at present, but the air in that neighborhood is also full of rumors concerning other developments than those in sight. Among them is the rumor which is persistently circulated, but which cannot be authoritatively confirmed or denied, that the Santa Fe Company is diligently seeking to extend its line from Emeryville along Wood street and get a right of way through private property into Second street, which terminates at Market street, in order to reach Alameda and Second streets and establish a freight distributing depot there to meet the competition of the Western and Southern Pacific Railroad Companies. In the distribution of Oakland freight the Santa Fe Company finds itself handicapped by its remoteness from Oakland's central business quarters and, as a result, a long haul for the delivery of all merchandise to its patrons, while the Southern Pacific at the Third and Kirkham street depot has a comparatively short haul and in its new distributing depot of the Western Pacific on Third street, between Alameda and Harrison, gives that corporation a still shorter haul for the delivery of goods to main business establishments in the center of the city and which have become important railroad customers during the past three years. If the Santa Fe can get access to Second street and a franchise to lay tracks on it to the north arm of the estuary, it will be on an equal level with the Western Pacific Railroad Company in the hauling of freight. The Santa Fe Company has not yet shown its hand in regard to its intentions in the development of such a plan, if it is for a certainty contemplated.

Much speculation has been created also by the manner in which the Western Pacific is developing its system of spur tracks on the north side of Third street between Oak and Alameda in its efforts to reach the new freight depot. Four lines of spur tracks have been started in the block between Oak and Madison streets, all of which will butt up against the east fence of the Bendel property, while another spur branches from the main line just east

of the Alameda street line to swing into the south front of the depot. It is rumored among railroad men that the company must get the Bendel property to carry their tracks through to the north side of the depot, and that the original intention was to force their way through the half block condemnation. But the Bendlas have blocked that feature in the game by protesting against a franchise being granted by the Council to cross Alameda street with railroad spur tracks in the block between Third and Fourth streets and the protest is effective because it represents the eastern frontage of the block and no franchise can be granted without a majority of the frontage favoring it. The railroad company owns 150 feet of the west side frontage and might possibly get the consent of the remaining fifty feet, but it would be of no avail, as it would still lack a majority.

The latest report is that the company is planning to get into its own territory at the depot by a circuitous route along Fourth street, and thus shutting in the Bendl property and forcing a sale at any old figure it may name. But if that is attempted it is quite certain to meet with opposition from the Bendlas. The game which is now being played is evidently a bluff and the future must determine how it will work.

Another important development in the same neighborhood is the location of a new produce commission center on Second street between Alameda and Harrison, six Italian produce firms having leased property formerly occupied by Chinese in the block and the premises are being now remodelled to suit the wants of the new lessees.

Other produce firms are reported to be seeking a foothold in the same quarter, owing to its convenience to the city wharves at the foot of Franklin and Webster street and Adams wharf, where much river grown produce is now handled, and its proximity to the freight depot of the Western Pacific and the First street tracks of the Southern Pacific Company. During the past ten days a strenuous effort has been made by real estate agents to secure options on property on Alameda street between Third and Fifth streets, for "speculation" as they represent, but the owners of the property have thus far declined to name a figure, preferring to await later developments in that quarter.

NORTH BERKELEY RAILROAD ACTIVITY

Work has commenced on another important division of the Western Pacific Company's extensions through North Berkeley, namely, on the California street line. The grading crew has finished its work to the tunnel under the city of North Berkeley, and now a double track line is being rapidly excavated partly by Columbia Avenue through private rights of way from Solano Avenue near Thousand Oaks, south to California street.

BUSINESS CENTER OF BERKELEY

Many Wonderful Changes Are Taking Place in the Heart of the City

BERKELEY, Aug. 21.—Next Saturday will be moving day at the new city hall and the present set of offices that have been occupied in the Shattuck building at the corner of Allston way and Shattuck Avenue for years will be vacated. The opening of the hall is bound to have an effect on the trend of business toward the west. The location is two blocks from Shattuck Avenue and the building may be reached from the present business center by either Allston way or Center street. Both of these thoroughfares will profit by the change, it is expected, and the prospect of increased travel is inducing a number of property owners to project important improvements. On the corner of Milvia and Allston way is the new building of the Home Telephone Company, soon to be occupied. On the other side of the street the Shattuck estate has tentatively donated a lot for the erection upon it of a \$60,000 Y. M. C. A. building. These improvements will help Allston way.

Business Center Gossip

On Center street the First National Bank is erecting a \$60,000 annex and at least two new business blocks are planned nearer to Milvia. The Ross company is also preparing to move its mill and lumber yards to the water front and this will leave a big stretch on the north side of Center street near Grove that will be available for more valuable improvements. On Grove street, just a block north, at the intersection of University Avenue, W. B. Heywood has erected one new three-story apartment house and is preparing to duplicate it on another corner. These various contemplated and assured improvements are all due directly to the new city hall and may result in making a new business center of the region bounded by Shattuck, University, Allston way and Grove street. In a short time it is probable that this will be thickly built and that the real center of the city will be comprised in these boundaries. For many years Center street, east from Shattuck to the college campus, was the real business street. The First National Bank erected a six-story block

on the west side of Shattuck Avenue and the Morse estate followed with a big block on the corner of Bancroft way. Then the postoffice was located on the west side of Shattuck Avenue. The Masonic Temple, the Brooks and the Studio buildings followed until East Center street lost its prestige, and when the new Southern Pacific depot was completed Shattuck Avenue became recognized as the business street. At any rate, the real estate market is now going up on that line and other prospects are under way for extensive improvements. Thus as Berkeley grows the business congestion shifts and amplifies. The prospects are that within five years the Berkeley business center will be handsomely built up and extend over several blocks of valuable property. The new building of the University and Shattuck is on the east side of the city, near the completion of the Shattuck hotel. The new building of the Mason-McDuffie Company at the corner of University Avenue and Shattuck is on the east side of the city, near the completion of the Shattuck hotel. The new building of the Mason-McDuffie Company at the corner of University Avenue and Shattuck is on the east side of the city, near the completion of the Shattuck hotel.

Berkeley's Attractions

A well-known official of the former town government has entered the real estate business. He sets forth his reasons in this manner to an inquiry made by the Chamber of Commerce, which illustrates some of the factors in the growth of the city. "Some of my friends wondered why I should go into the real estate business after holding a public office for three years. I was just because I was in a position to watch the real growth of Berkeley and to note the natural conditions favorable to its development. I became enthusiastic over this kind of activity. I have been impressed by the fact that the people of the East come West for two reasons almost entirely; namely, first, for the climate, and second, for the better living conditions. Many of the residents of Berkeley who live off of income derived from interior properties. We have at present in the city five requests from owners of interior property for Berkeley exchange property. Blessed with these two principal assets—climate and education—Berkeley's inducements to the home builder are unlimited. Add to our excellent transportation facilities, the large surrounding environment furnishing all classes of people a plentiful means of livelihood, a city site so sloping to the bay as to give a natural drainage. "True it is that various classes of property have not yet wholly found their place in the city's development. Conditions which prevailed in 1905-7, but now on all sides we can see the actual conditions of a more stable growth. Witness the fact that the transfer companies have in the past week moved in over forty new families from the city side; witness the increase in number of school children, the increase in telephone calls in water and gas service, the

RENTING PROPERTY IS IN DEMAND

Money to Loan is Easier to Obtain and Deposits on Property Sales Better.

The Laymance Real Estate Company, in concise form, reviews the past two weeks in this manner: More money to loan, inquiries and deposits on sales properties better, differences in values between buyer and seller quite well defined, renting good and a lack of high-class renting houses.

Referring to last week's entertainment of the real estate men, M. J. Laymance said:

"I believe that nothing has occurred recently in our city that has done so much to advertise Oakland as the convention of the California State Realty Federation. Nearly 300 satisfied guests have returned to their homes to relate the growth and beauty of our city.

"Renting has been exceptionally good. We have now on file tenants for several high-class unfurnished homes, with garages, that we can rent tomorrow if we can obtain them. These calls are from outside people, who have declared their intention of making Oakland their home."

Confidence of the great Southern Pacific Company in undertaking to spend millions to enlarge and improve the transportation system.

"Very little property is being bought for speculative purposes; ninety per cent of the houses being built by property owners for bona fide homes and of these over forty per cent are one-story cottages for people who work and live with us all the year round, who spend their money here; the class of people who take an interest in the city's welfare and who support the business men on this side of the bay. "This is not to say that the wealthy people who dwell along the western heights of the community and who do not place in the city's welfare and who do not make it the culture center of the West. But it is the busy artisan with the numerous family that creates real civic life and bustle. "Take a ride any day from north to south, through the central part of Berkeley, along McGee street, for instance, and be convinced of this, filling in with the thrifty small householders. Time will come when this steady middle section, as it were, will link the divergent classes of East and West Berkeley into a real wide-awake, many-sided city. Then will the voice of Berkeley be heard as a mighty undertone in the affairs of great bay metropolises. My opinion, as you see, is very optimistic, but is based on fundamental considerations."

MID YEAR PERIOD OF DULLNESS OVER

Alameda Realty Men Are Very Hopeful Over Future Prospects

ALAMEDA, Aug. 21.—The mid-year period of depression in the Alameda realty market is drawing to a close and with the latter days of August, the up-pouch of a pronounced activity in the fall and winter already is being made evident.

Among the real estate dealers of this city optimism is generally prevalent; and it is the common prediction that early September will show a marked advance in business of every description. That this optimism is well founded is evidenced by the improvements that are being carried on in those districts affected by the electrification of the Southern Pacific lines in the East End and by the various improvements being conducted by the city.

Realty dealers predict that with the approach of winter interest rates will fall off and that investors generally will begin to place their money in real property.

Rentals Good

Throughout the city rentals are good, but few dwellings being open to prospective tenants. Sales are medium fair with boom prospects, and leases are being generally sought. Rentals, particularly, are at a high ebb, the city showing, for the summer months, one of the best records in this department in its history.

Many buildings are being planned or already are in progress of construction, and on the South Side, in that district between Willow and St. Charles streets, activity in this line is marked. The Lincoln park districts also are showing great building progress.

"The summer months always bring a decrease in real estate transactions," said Thomas T. Judd, of Scott & Judd, Inc., discussing the situation here today, "and this has been no exception to the general rule. But the conditions this summer have been surprising in that there has been more activity shown than for years. Building throughout the city is generally good; sales are medium fair, with many prospective sales on hand."

"The electrification of the Southern Pacific lines is causing a rush of building in the districts through which the line runs and the opening of the new tract in the East End has brought about made sales of residence sites. While the work of laying the new road bed has not progressed as rapidly as might have been wished, the delay has been due to the inability to install the power

plant, and work on the roadbed conducted with a view of completing both projects at approximately the same time.

At the office of L. W. McLaughlin it was said: "Improvements throughout the city have been general for the last week and while sales have not materialized as rapidly as we might have wished for, building is booming and the East End of the city is showing the general effects of prosperity.

"Work on the Southern Pacific lines is progressing favorably, the poles are now on the ground and the track-laying almost completed. This work is having a most beneficial effect on the Lincoln Park district where many residences are in the progress of construction.

"Rentals are in a decidedly healthy condition and several long term leases have been closed."

Messrs. Hammond & Hammond have submitted the following report of the realty situation in Alameda:

"The following transfers have been recorded by us:

"W. G. Le Boyd to McLean, cottage on the north side of Santa Clara Avenue, east of Mount street.

"Le Boyd to Myster, 5 room cottage, same location as above.

"Jensen to Churchill, 5 room cottage, east line of Regent street, north of Division. A. F. Savings Union to Ida M. Caswell, unimproved property on west line of Park street, north of Clinton Avenue.

"Business is steadily growing better. The inquiries for houses has, within the last month, increased until it now has nearly reached the normal. There is plenty of ready money to be had on good securities. The coming months bid well to be record-breakers in realty transfers."

The lot on the south side of Santa Clara Avenue, between Grand and Union streets, formerly in the possession of James Tyson, has been sold to Peter Martindale and Peter Hens, 35 feet going to each Alameda. The lot adjoins the Greenleaf home on Santa Clara Avenue.

Building Permits

Following are building permits issued by the Building Inspector during the week:

Owner, S. P. Mesick—Repairs to 2214 Clinton Avenue; cost \$100.

Owner, E. W. Benjamin—One-room addition to 2129 Buena Vista Avenue; cost \$150.

Owner, J. H. Remmers—One-story, 6-room dwelling at 780 Santa Clara Avenue; cost \$2400.

Owner, E. L. Mandeville—Alteration and repairs to house at Schiller street and Buena Vista Avenue; cost \$450.

Owner, Mrs. Mary Gillan—Repairs to 2307 Pacific Avenue; cost \$75.

Owner, M. A. Miller, addition to 2021 Lincoln Avenue; cost \$1000.

Owner, Margaret Lauder—Store and dwelling at the southeast corner of Van Buren and Mount street; cost \$750.

Owner, S. J. Garcel—One-story, 6-room house on the south side of Pacific Avenue, 365 feet west of Fifth street; cost \$1500.

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Carlson & Walker say that the Alameda realty market is exceedingly bright and while no boom is expected there will be a steady growth in the population.

At present conditions indicate that Alameda will more than get her share of the increase of people now coming this way from eastern points, judging from the numerous inquiries received by our Chamber of Commerce and the real estate firms of this city.

Realty values will positively advance upon the completion of electrifying our present steam lines. This work is expected to be completed in the next few months, as the work is progressing very rapidly.

This firm's business for the last week has been exceedingly good, in fact beyond our expectations. We find that it pays to advertise, if it is done right.

We are getting our BAY PARK TRACT in fine shape. The contractors are rushing the work, so that we will be soon able to offer these lots to the public. The value of no finer residence site in Alameda. The owners (which includes ourselves) are sparing no expense up-to-date, and the best yet, all sewers, gas and water pipes will be run into each lot, making it ready for the builder, and avoiding tearing up the streets, thus making our streets the best of driveways.

CRUSADE AGAINST NOISE BROADENS

Germany Leads in Movement and Life There is Bliss and Rapture

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Mrs. Isaac L. Rice, who is head of the Anti-Noise Society here, has returned from Europe. She returns with a scheme for the "house of silence." She said on arriving:

"The first Anti-Noise convention, held in London, was a great success despite the fact that only four countries were represented by the three delegates present. These countries were America, England, Austria and Germany.

"Life in Germany is bliss and rapture," said Mrs. Rice. "Why, even the railroad stop boys, waiters after sundown. The engineer gives notice of danger by blowing a horn. There are no whistles in thirty cities with a total membership of 1200. This society has issued a 'blue list' of whistles and whistles where one may have a reasonable amount of quiet. The landlady pledges themselves not to rent rooms to any one unless the person will agree to make as little noise as possible.

"Better than noise, however, are the 'houses of silence,' which are springing up all over the empire. These are in every case, owned by members of the society and only members may obtain accommodations in them. No noise whatever may be heard in them."

TO INSPECT ARTILLERY. WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Captain William P. Platt, U. S. A., ordnance department, will proceed to Fort Resaca, Ga., on official business pertaining to the inspection of the artillery in the artillery district of San Diego.

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TWO BUNGALOWS OF PRETTY TYPE

Both Are to Be Erected in the Claremont Avenue District

A mission type of bungalow, to be erected on the south side of Webster street, between College and Claremont avenues, for E. A. Jensen, of which an illustration is presented is an entirely original design. It is said that there is nothing like it on the coast. The object of the progressive owner was to have something entirely away from the other repeated bungalow designs. The lines of the Jensen bungalow are cut with a mission roof, tile, iron gates to main person, which can be used for a summer dining room with the open porch overhanging and old red Mexican tiled floor. When bungalow, elements, roses and other vines climb the house, partially covered the exterior, it will produce one of the most attractive of structures. J. V. Newman is the architect and designer of this pretty home.

The living room is 50x10 feet, dining room, 14x18 feet, bedrooms average 10x11 feet, bath, 5x7 feet. The interior is finished with a very artistic bungalow type of framework and shingled bungalow, with a large open porch and a small porch on the rear. The interior is finished with a very artistic bungalow type of framework and shingled bungalow, with a large open porch and a small porch on the rear. The interior is finished with a very artistic bungalow type of framework and shingled bungalow, with a large open porch and a small porch on the rear.

BALLOON EXPLODES. SAMMEFEST, Norway, Aug. 21.—Walter Wellman's balloon America exploded last Sunday thirty-two miles from its landing. The balloon and his companions were injured. None of the men in the balloon were injured.

What Do You Think of the Bible?

This question will be answered by Mr. Mills at the Fellowship service at 7:45 p. m. this evening at Pythian Castle. All the seats will be free, but those who wish them should come early.

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IMPROVEMENTS ON LOWER BROADWAY

New 3-Story Brick Block Going up at the Corner of First and Broadway

During the latter part of the week Warnock & Melchior filed an application with the Board of Public Works for a permit to erect a three story block at the northwest corner of First and Broadway, to cost \$17,000. The lower story will be constructed for the use of stores. The upper two stories will be arranged for lodging house purposes. The building has already been started. It occupies the site of the former South Pacific railroad depot on First street and the old Overland House, which were some months ago destroyed by fire. In the removal of these structures some of the oldest landmarks in Oakland disappeared.

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Affair to Be Given in Honor of Mrs. D. F. Ragan, Grand President of Society

Mrs. D. F. Ragan, grand president of the Catholic Ladies' Aid Society, of the State of California, is to be tendered a reception by the East Oakland branch of the order on next Tuesday afternoon. The hall at Eighteenth avenue and East Sixteenth street is being artistically decorated for the occasion and a meritorious program has been arranged. The committee in charge of the affair consists of Miss Sutton, Mrs. Carroll and Mrs. Byrn.

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MACK CONVICTED IN SHORT ORDER

"Buff Kid" Will Be Sentenced
for Robbing Mrs. McCrea,
on Wednesday

Charles Mack, the "Buff Kid," was convicted in Judge White's department of the Superior Court yesterday of grand larceny, and the court set next Wednesday as the day upon which it will pronounce sentence.

Mack heard the jury's verdict deciding his fate read without emotion and walked defiantly out of the court room when the deputy sheriff manacled him and took him back to the county jail.

It took the jury only about thirty minutes to determine that Mack was guilty of having robbed Mrs. Edith McCrea of \$110 in a warehouse of the old Press Cafe, and in a large degree the verdict is regarded by the court attaches as a "general principle" verdict as much as anything else.

Made Strong Case

The prosecution made out a strong case against Mack in spite of the fact that the complaining witness, Mrs. McCrea, did not testify personally and that it depended upon the testimony of her and her little daughter's testimony given at preliminary hearing for the most convincing part of its case.

Mack was proven to be an ex-convict. It was also shown to the jury that Mack was in keeping with his criminal career.

It is understood that the case will be tried.

SEVENTH WARD CLUB TO DISCUSS BOND ISSUES

The Seventh Ward Republican Club will hold an enthusiastic meeting in Cameron hall last Friday night, at which there will be a large attendance. A special committee was appointed to arrange a meeting of the club for some night next month to discuss water front improvement and municipal bond issues. It consists of Paul W. Wuthe, R. C. Voss, H. P. Vogt, L. N. Cobbleback and J. W. McNiece.

The club was addressed by Messrs. Wuthe, Voss, Vogt, Frank Walker, F. M. Smith, Andrew Hayes and others.

Talks on Teeth

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Q. My teeth are loose; can you put them in your method of restoration?
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MORRIS ISAACS WRITES OF FAIR

Oakland Merchant Speaks
Highly of California Exhibit
in Seattle

Morris Isaacs who, for more than a quarter of a century, has been connected with the clothing business in this city, is on a visit to Seattle and the north Pacific Coast towns, and writes a letter from the former place which will be read with much interest here because of the variety of the topics discussed.

Mr. Isaacs went north to meet his sister, whom he had not seen in thirty-five years. The sister is the wife of Hon. Mark Cohen, one of the leading newspaper men of New Zealand, who has been with his wife in England, where he attended a convention of the colonial newspaper writers and where the guests were received by King Edward and his queen.

He declares, however, that had it not been for the alertness and courtesy of Wilbur Walker of Oakland, who is one of the commissioners from Alameda county to the Seattle fair, he would have been denied the pleasure of meeting his sister because of a mixing up of the dignitaries which were sent to where a meeting must take place. Speaking of the Seattle fair, Mr. Isaacs says:

Praises California Display

"Everything seems to me to be very fine. It would hardly be fair to praise one feature more than another, although I think the California display is the proudest from a horticultural point of view. I am sure of one thing, viz. that the powers that be in selecting Wilbur Walker and the other representatives of Alameda county, as well as the representatives of the other counties to look after California's display, showed a great deal of wisdom.

Compliments Government

"I want to compliment the United States government on its display. It is a great lesson to the rising generation. The people in charge of the different exhibits are the personification of courtesy. I also wish to compliment the government in the sagacity it displayed in the purchase of Alaska. The latter is worth more than a hundred times the purchase price. The Alaska exhibit is so rich in minerals, furs, and horticultural products that, as a business man, I could easily see that we got a great, great bargain from the czar.

"I took a trip down the 'Hay Streak' this morning, and took in many of the sights. Some were good, in fact, very good, and others were bad, very bad, literally, practically and morally.

Roasts the Japanese

"The Japs predominate in the trade concessions and work the guile to a finish. Many pretty white girls are working for them and, to my idea, the Mikado's subjects are a little too familiar with our American daughters. "Today was a day and the people of that State turned out in great numbers and had a merry old time. "I don't see many Oaklanders here. There is a better representation of San Franciscans. "The exposition is well worth seeing. I am sorry that I cannot remain longer because I must be home next week. At night on the fair grounds the scene is really enchanting. The electrical display is the grandest I have ever seen. It really makes the place look like fairy land."

RACES HAVE RIOT IN CITY MARKET

Row Over 5-Cent Purchase
Sends Japanese and Italians to Hospital

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 21.—A small bunch of carots, worth about 5 cents, caused a row and a free fight between an Italian and several Japanese gardeners at a local market early today, resulting in four men being taken to the Receiving Hospital with more or less serious stab wounds, and the Italian suffering a severe beating and a dislocated thumb. One of the Japanese may die.

The gardeners, who comprise many nationalities, gathered at the market early and began picking among themselves for vegetables. The Italian, whose name is S. Bantini, purchased 5 cents worth of carrots from a Japanese gardener but took six inches instead of three for his money. Efforts to recover the vegetables were ineffectual and a fight started.

The Japanese, reinforced by his friends, attacked the Italian with boxes and other improvised weapons and the latter was soon stretched on the ground. S. Hasegawa had a stab wound six inches long in the abdomen and may die. K. Yokoda was cut in the face and S. Nakai was stabbed in the stomach. Antonio Carlisi, a watchman, who attempted to interfere, was also stabbed. The police were notified and the Italian was locked up.

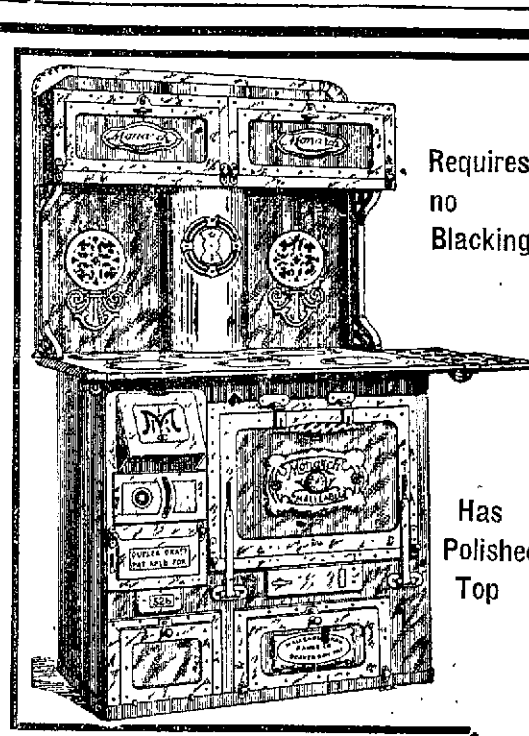
DR. WHITE WILL ADDRESS YOUNG MEN'S MEETING

The men's meeting at the Young Men's Christian Association rooms this afternoon, in Maple Hall, will be addressed by the Rev. Dr. George W. White, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal Church. The meeting begins at 8:30 o'clock and lasts one hour. All men are cordially invited to attend.

BEE STINGS AND SNAKE POISON MAKE HIM MAD

LA CHOSSE, Wis., Aug. 21.—Made mad by a combination of bee and rattlesnake poison, B. Lane, a farmer of French Creek, fought his combat for three hours until medical aid arrived. One of the men killed a rattlesnake and, donning a pair of gloves, skinned the reptile. In the afternoon Lane borrowed the gloves to wear while leading lumber. While engaged in this work he disturbed a nest of little yellow bees, which stung him on the neck and arm and in fighting them he kept rubbing the gloves on the spots where the bees had punctured his skin.

The poison took effect at once and Lane became a maniac. He is recovering.

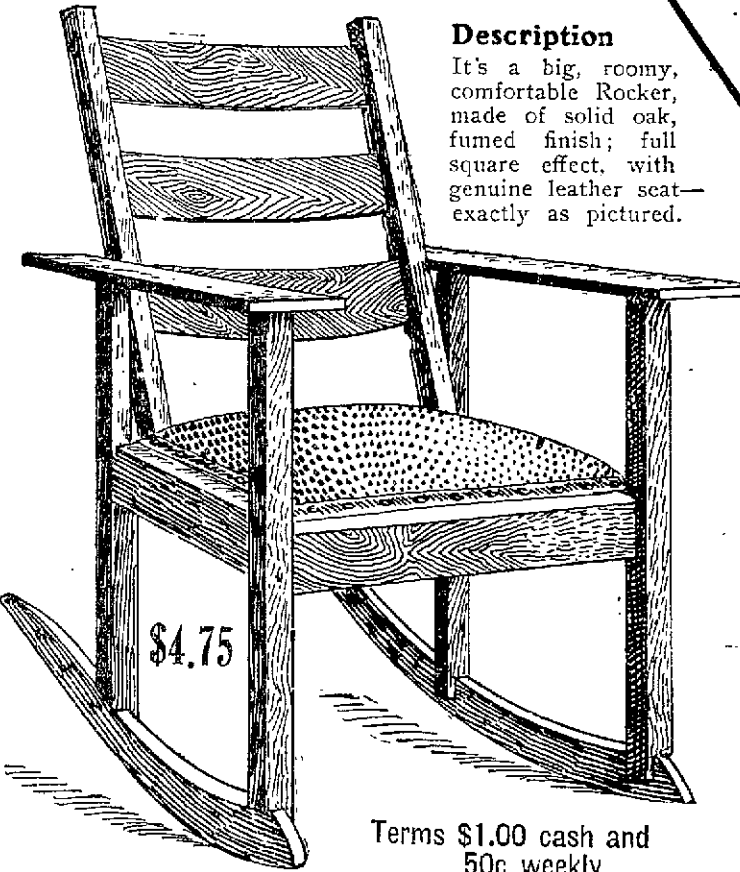


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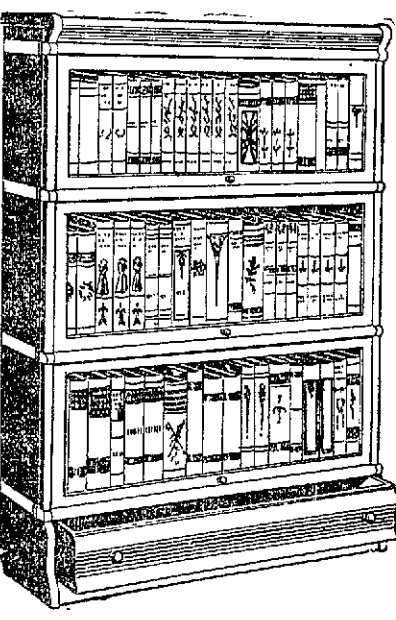
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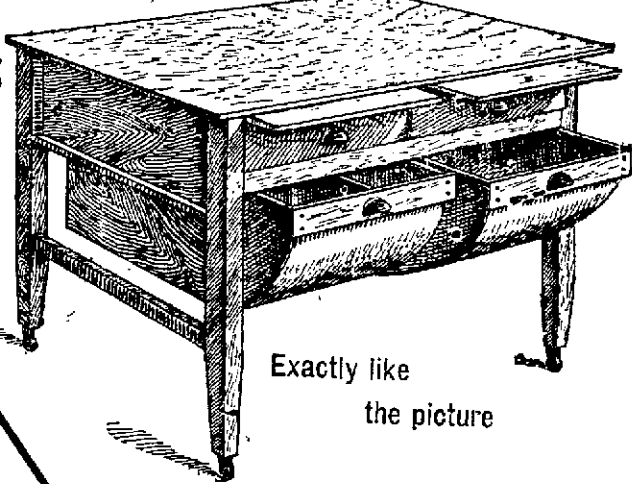
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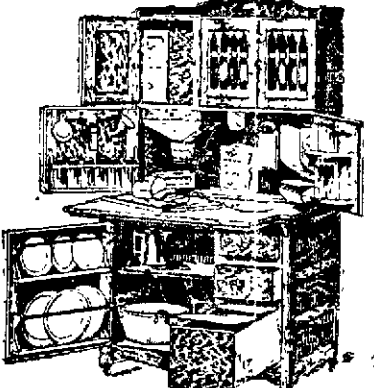
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FALLS OFF DONKEY AND ARM IS FRACTURED

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Virginia Richmond, eleven years old, who resides at 1570 Forty-fifth street, had her left arm broken this afternoon by falling off a donkey in the children's playgrounds in Golden Gate Park. She was treated by Steward Cummings at the Park emergency hospital.

FEARS HE WILL MURDER CARROLL

Bicycle Dealer of Fruitvale Has
Longing to Assassinate
Constable

Richard Hoffman, a bicycle dealer of Fruitvale, surrendered himself to Constable W. C. Allen of Brooklyn township yesterday afternoon and asked that he be locked up. He explained that he had developed a sudden and unaccountable longing to assassinate Constable Tom Carroll and expressed the fear that if he were not restrained he would commit the murder. The man was confined in the county jail and his sanity is being investigated.

After Hoffman's arrest his sister-in-law told Constable Allen that he had threatened to take her life and that she believed he was suffering from a homicidal mania. With reference to Carroll, Hoffman said to Allen:

"God has ordained that Carroll must die and has made me the instrument by which he is to be removed. I cannot explain why he is doomed, but I feel that I must kill him."

THOMSON COLLIE LEFT AN ESTATE OF \$62,047

An inventory and appraisal of the estate of the late Thomson Collie of Alameda who died at the family residence, 2311 Alameda avenue, in November of last year, filed this morning with the county clerk, shows it to be worth \$62,347.51. Collie was largely interested in shipping.

KILLED WHEN WAGON RUNS OVER HIS NECK

SAN JOSE, Aug. 21.—J. E. Morley, a foundry employee, was thrown from a wagon while driving on the Alameda this afternoon, by the sudden veering of his horse and the wagon, which was loaded with heavy fruit boxes, ran over his neck. He survived only an hour or so. He was 25 years of age and married.

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TAIL TO FIND BODIES OF ACCIDENT VICTIMS

BURLINGTON, Iowa, Aug. 21.—The bodies of the victims of last night's accident, when the launch Naughty Girl was burned during a fireworks display on the river, have not been recovered. The dead number three—Mrs. Marshall Jordan and Mrs. L. Converse, both of Mount Pleasant, Iowa, and the son of Charles Lee, a prominent business man.

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Love and Despondency Lead Three Women to Try Suicide

USE REVOLVER
AND POISON
TO KILLDaughter of Admiral Becker
Takes a Dose of Chloro-
form"MAN IN CASE," DECLARES
ONLY ONE TO RECOVERRefuses to Tell Police Further
of Trouble That Lead to
Deed

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Love sick and despondent, three women in different walks of life attempted to commit suicide within four hours of each other this afternoon and as a result one is dead, another is dying and the third lies at the Central Emergency Hospital, refusing to reveal the particulars leading up to her desire to end it all.

The last of the four is Juanita Beckley, a servant, a brunette, a brunette and exceedingly beautiful as she lay on a cot in the women's ward at the Central Emergency Hospital she declines positively to tell anything about herself.

It is known she is the daughter of Admiral Becker who served in the Hawaiian navy against Samoa.

Man in the Case

"You may be sure there is a man in the case. There always is. If I told you my troubles and sorrows I would not know what to do when I left here. My life history would be exposed to the world, so I must decline to say a word. You can question me from now until doomsday, but I won't tell you a thing."

The girl swallowed a poison from a two-ounce bottle of chloroform in a room at the Hotel Spotsford, Powell and Market streets, at 7 o'clock tonight. She fought desperately with Steward Simpson while he was carrying her down stairs on a litter and tried to scratch his eyes and tear his hair in an effort to prevent him from taking her to the hospital.

Stories Differ

Stories of how she came to be in the hotel differ widely. The manager declares that she was not a guest, but arrived about 3 o'clock in the afternoon and went to the room of one of the occupants, whose name he refused to reveal.

The police investigation brought the report that she had been living there for about five days and it was found that she had been drinking considerably before attempting to end her life. She said her parents lived in the Orient and that she had intended sailing on the steamer Siberia, leaving here August 21st.

She had not swallowed much of the poison and will be able to leave the hospital tomorrow.

From the evident desire of the young woman's friends to keep a close mouth as to her family connections, it is evident that Miss Juanita Beckley is highly connected. This belief is given strength from the fact that she got into telephone communication with Dr. Fletcher J. McNair who had her removed to the German Hospital. All efforts to locate the doctor for questioning and persons in authority at the Statford Hotel, where the girl attempted her life, refused to discuss the matter.

Fires Fatal Shot

Despondent because of tuberculosis, which she says she has tried to fight off for months, seeking relief from numerous doctors, but without result, Mrs. C. L. Bliven, a pretty young woman, 29 years old, killed herself at 6:30 this afternoon.

The woman, who is the wife of C. R. Bliven of the City Electric Company, had carefully planned the suicide. Her husband was at his office and her friend Mrs. Mary Healy, who occupies an adjoining apartment, had just left her, when, procuring a revolver, she shot herself in the breast. The report of the pistol attracted the attention of Mrs. Healy and the door was broken and Dr. W. R. Reid called. By the time he arrived the woman was dead.

Almost at the moment the fatal shot was fired Bliven, who is an electrical engineer in the employ of the General Electric Company, was reading a letter from Dr. Lillencrantz of Oakland commanding the husband to call at once upon the doctor.

It was ten days ago that Mrs. Bliven made threats to end her life that Lillencrantz asked the interview. In the letter Mrs. Bliven's threat to take her life was not mentioned.

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When she last saw her physician Mrs. Bliven, so Dr. Lillencrantz said tonight, "spoke harshly of suicide."

"The Blivens lived in a handsomely furnished flat at Taylor and Pine streets. It was there that Mrs. Bliven took her life."

At noon today Bliven telephoned his wife.

"How are you?" he asked.

"I am feeling fine," was the answer. Soon after this the spirit of temporary insanity is thought to have come upon her and Mrs. Bliven, searching out her husband's 38 calibre revolver, killed herself.

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BERKELEY, Aug. 21.—Charging that her husband has deserted her and her two young children for a blonde-haired, blue-eyed affinity, Mrs. C. E. Geer, of 1609 San Pablo avenue, Berkeley, this afternoon unfolded a story which for its pathos and elements of human frailties is seldom equaled.

Charles E. Geer, an ex-saloon man, is the husband, while Miss Laura Conn, proprietor of the Rocklin Apartments, on Leavenworth street, San Francisco, is the woman named as the affinity in the case. Mrs. Geer states that Miss Conn has cast an hypnotic spell about her husband and that at times he has endeavored to break away from her and return to his wife and children, but through the influence the woman exercises over him he has been constrained from returning.

Suffered in Silence

"Up to about a month ago my husband was game-keeper in Fred Monday's saloon, in Ocean View," said Mrs. Geer, "and I noticed that his love for me was growing cold. I questioned him but he denied emphatically that he loved another. I suspected his relations with this woman for many months, but through the mother love I have for my little son and daughter, I restrained my anger and in silence suffered the anguish which only a woman's heart can know."

"My husband would stay away from home sometimes for weeks, and then again for more than a month. He told me that his business took him away, and I tried to believe him. Finally friends told me of his actions and at the County Jail, where this woman and I learned that she conducted the Rocklin Apartment house in San Francisco. I went to the Rocklin early one morning about a month ago, and there discovered my husband in a room with this woman."

Slapped Her Face

"I slapped her in the face," continued Mrs. Geer as her black eyes swelled and she rushed at my husband. She threw the door open and called in her mother, Mrs. Vivens, and other people rooming in the house who overpowered me. She had the brazen audacity to tell me that my husband loved her more than he did me, and asked me to go away and leave him with her. She called to him, 'You love me more than you do this woman, don't you, Charles?' But he gave no answer, and hurried away. While I was in the room she pointed with pride to a \$35 hat which she said my husband had purchased for her, and said that he had bought her jewelry and other valuables. She toyed with me with the utmost cruelty. 'Charles says that I have got him hypnotized,' she laughed, 'and I guess I have.' She said that she loved him desperately, and that she would not give him up. I begged her to break her relations with my husband, but she only laughed at me."

Returned, Then Left

Mrs. Geer said that her husband returned to their home in Berkeley for a time after the affair in the Rocklin house, and neglected her and his children. Later he left, she says.

"He left her and take him back," said the anguished woman, as tears coursed down her face. "I love him, and he knows it. I am willing to forgive everything. If he will only come back to me and his children. He has deserted me without leaving a cent to me now. We are in absolute destitute circumstances."

Tries to Slay Woman
—Then Ends His Life

SALT LAKE, Utah, Aug. 21.—Jealousy or some similar motive for revenge prompted Larry Chanaugh, a porter employed at a local hotel, to make a deadly assault with a razor upon Mrs. Emma Crandall, in a lodging house in this city today, and then to take his own life after attempting to slay the police.

INHERITANCE AWAITING
MAN MISSING SIX YEARS

If Robert J. McGregory, formerly of Oakland, can be located, his heirs are entitled to a considerable estate in Ireland that cannot be settled until he can be found or is proved dead. The much-sought man was, ten years ago, charged with a murder in Oakland. He subsequently proved his innocence of the charge, but not of the killing, and then disappeared. He was at that time an employee of Owen Rooney, who conducted a restaurant at the Oakland pier. While Chief of Police Wilson was recently in Seattle he was approached by a family acquaintance of the McGregorys and asked to locate the man. Since his return to Oakland he has discovered that McGregory was last seen in Oakland six years ago.

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Cupid Lures Charming Nurse
From Her Chosen Profession

MRS. ARTHUR G. POTTER (Miss Elinore O'Connell), who was married Monday night at the Parish home of Rev. Father Yorke.

Prefering matrimony to that of a trained nurse's life, Miss Elinore O'Connell, one of the first graduate nurses of Providence Hospital, and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John J. O'Connell of

East Oakland, became the wife of Arthur Gardner Potter at the parish home of Rev. Father York last Monday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Father McHugh. Only the relatives of the young couple were in attendance.

Miss Elinore O'Connell acted as bridesmaid and George Potter was best man. Soon after the wedding the couple left for Lake Tahoe.

In May, 1907, Mrs. Potter received her diploma from the training school for nurses at Providence Hospital, after having completed a three years' course, and given the degree from the institution. She left the hospital July 13, 1907, and is the fourth oldest graduate from the hospital, where she made a splendid record.

Mrs. Potter is a graduate from the Sacred Heart convent. She is a native of Oakland, where she has lived the greater part of her life.

Arthur Potter is a native of Kansas City and is a member of the local order of Elks. He is manager of a magazine. The young couple will reside in the Madison Apartment House.

OPERATING STAR
ANNOUNCES
DIVORCE

Grace Van Studdiford Files
Suit Against Scion of Dis-
tinguished Family

Husband is a Good Fellow But
Prima-Donna Can't Dis-
appoint Public

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 21.—"Charles is a good fellow," said Grace Van Studdiford, the prima donna, at her beautiful home on Crocker Court road this afternoon, when seen in reference to her suit for divorce filed earlier in the day, from Charles Van Studdiford, scion of a distinguished family, whose marriage to her ten years ago caused a sensation.

"You know he is," she continued. "I know he is, and everybody knows he is. He and I understand each other and we are going to make it just as easy for each other as we possibly can."

Is Acting Perfectly

"He is not going to contest the suit and he is acting just perfectly lovely about it. Why, I sent for him and had him come to my lawyer's office, where we went over the whole thing yesterday. He came in off the road from somewhere in Illinois. You know he is traveling for a coffee house."

Will Not Change

"Will I ask for the restoration of my former name? Well, I think not, made the name Van Studdiford by my own efforts. It is my trademark. It means my bread and butter. Why, I would not be worth a tithe of what I can command if the name were taken from me after I have made it what it is. Everything we have now is the result of my own labors and Charles is not going to ask anything at my hands. He has said this to me and my attorney."

Nothing Doing

"Every time I come to St. Louis these last few years, I have been asked by every newspaper in town and by my friends, when I am going to divorce Charles Van Studdiford. I answered 'nothing doing.' Now I have come to the conclusion that an artist must never disappoint her public."

She's the Best Kid

"He said: 'It shall be as you wish, wife, you're the best kid that ever was.' The star began bravely, deftly avoiding direct reference to any unhappiness that may have led to her estrangement. But when she told of Van Studdiford agreeing to legal separation from the best wife that ever was, tears welled in her eyes and her voice broke. She betrayed emotion as she talked and finally turned away.

BARON SCHROEDER
CHANGES MANAGERS

SAN RAFAEL, Aug. 21.—Now comes a new phase in the exciting incidents of the Hotel Rafael. Very recently Manager J. H. Holmes announced that the hotel was to close on August 20. Then came a denial, with a statement that it would keep open until next November.

Now it is stated—very boldly at that—that Manager Holmes has been ousted by Baron Von Schroeder, the owner, and that George A. Eastman, formerly of the Hotel Bon Ami of Escalante, and A. C. Blumenthal, the Baron's secretary, have been in charge as managers since Friday.

It is contended by the friends of Manager Holmes that he was given a five year's lease, with an option for a longer period, providing he would in that time make \$10,000 in permanent improvements, and that he was not to keep the place open all the time.

The clubhouse, which had been a feature, was closed, and this wave of prohibition caused a falling off in the custom of the fashionable set and the receipts of the hotel.

The announcement by Manager Holmes that he was going to close the hotel created great excitement among the guests and there were many complaints. Baron Von Schroeder heard of these and when Manager Holmes decided to stick to his announcement, it is said his lease was taken away.

The Baron's secretary told the guests of the new management, and Manager Holmes is back in Pasadena.

TOMBS ARE USED
TO ROB WOODMEN

Officers of Lodge Accused of
Making False Certifications
to Get Money For Graves

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 21.—A small sized scandal has been stirred up in local lodge circles as the result of an investigation made in this city recently by the officers of the head camp of the Woodmen of the World, regarding rumors that men of high standing in the order had made false certifications regarding the erection of monuments over the graves of deceased members.

The men alleged to be implicated in the investigation are John H. Foley, a well-to-do attorney, past head council of the Woodmen of the World and at present council commander of La Plasta camp of that organization, and Thomas L. Barlow, a well known stone engraver.

It appears that on March 8 Thomas E. Jacobs, a member of the order, died. Foley was given authority and contracted with Barlow, it is said, to make the monument. A short time later an affidavit sworn before Foley in his capacity as attorney stated that the monument had been erected, and that the cost was \$100.

Upon hearing certain rumors, the head camp officers instituted an investigation, which has resulted, it is

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Formal Charge of Peonage
by Foreign Consul

PITTSBURGH, Aug. 21.—Hurling a vessel containing nitro-glycerine into the roadway surrounding the entrance to the main office of the Pressed Steel Car Company at 6:30 o'clock tonight, a number of strike-breakers who were paid off today and released from the plant made a determined effort to blow up the plant and effect the release of the rest of the men who are being detained there.

A large section of the masonry has torn loose and now in the office and other parts of the plant thrown into a panic. The state constabulary were out at the time, but were quickly summoned. The company restaurant was attacked tonight by a crowd of women, but not much damage was done.

Fatally Shot

A short time after midnight Dr. W. D. Davidson, company surgeon of the car company, and who has made himself very offensive to the strikers, particularly the foreign element, became involved with a group of Hungarians. They pulled him out a street car when he drew two revolvers and began shooting. The shots were returned with interest, and the surgeon fell with a bullet in his arm and another in his neck. At 1 o'clock a. m. he is reported dying.

Formal Charges

C. N. Hoffstad, president of the Pressed Steel Car Company, and Samuel Cohn, head of the service bureau, have been formally charged with peonage at the instigation of Edgar C. Prochnick, acting imperial vice-consul of Austria-Hungary.

The information was sworn to late today in the Federal Court by Attorney McNair, accompanied by Albert Vallos.

Vallos alleges that he was brought from New York on the supposition that there was no strike on at the car company's plant. He alleges that on August 16th he made an attempt to escape from the plant, when he learned there was a strike on, and that he was beaten and injured in such manner that he had to be taken to the Ohio Valley Hospital for treatment.

CHAMBER OF COMMERCE TAKES
STEPS TO FIGHT PROPOSED IN-
CREASE OF ASSESSMENTS

The directors of the Oakland Chamber of Commerce held a special meeting yesterday afternoon and protested against the proposed increase in the Alameda County assessment by the State Board of Equalization.

A motion was adopted authorizing W. S. Mackey, chairman of the meeting, to appoint a committee to appear before the board next Tuesday morning and with facts and figures endeavor to show that the present valuation is a just one. The committee has not yet been appointed and considerable care will be exercised in its selection.

This action is similar to the stand taken by the Berkeley and Alameda organizations, which are also making a stiff fight against the assessment as proposed by the appraisers.

Those present at the meeting were: H. C. Capwell, W. S. Mackey, Edwin Keese, Colonel Theodore Gier, A. J. Snyder, C. M. Wood, J. Fyrell, C. J. Redman and C. J. Monroe.

alleged, in the disclosure that the monument was never placed upon the grave.

Further investigations will be made of other similar cases.

ORIENTAL PHONE
DISPLEASES
ORIENTALSObject to Word "Pekin" Be-
fore Number of Chinese
TelephonesWANT THEIR SYSTEM
FULLY AMERICANIZEDJapanese Lead in Protest and
Threaten to Quit the
Service

The Oriental exchange established in Chinatown of this city for the benefit of the people of that quarter by the local telephone company is being freely criticised. The Japanese and the Chinese, taking exception to the distinction made between them and other races, yesterday called upon Manager Delury of the Pacific Telephone Company and requested him to remove the Chinese operator who has been placed in charge of the newly organized branch and do away with the prefix Pekin before the numbers in Chinatown and use some word employed by the American section.

Demands Change

The committee, headed by S. Takashita, associate editor of the Oakland branch of the Japanese-American, a Japanese periodical published at 232 Eighth street, called at the telephone office yesterday and demanded that a change in system, which has only been in force three days, be made at once, and as a representative of the Japanese merchants of that section, threatened to discontinue the entire service unless this is done immediately.

"We, the Japanese, feel that we should be accorded the same service as the Americans as long as we pay the same rate," declared Takashita, "and we consider Mr. Delury's promise to add Tokyo or Asia to the exchange numbers in addition to Pekin ridiculous. This is not a question of race jealousy. We simply feel that the entire Oriental quarter has been discriminated against, and that we can do no less than resent it."

To Follow Japanese

That the question has assumed a patriotic importance with the Japanese is evident, and though the Chinese are more apathetic in their dislike of the new exchange, they have signified their willingness to follow the lead of the Japanese in the crusade to force a re-installation of the old system.

The innovation by the telephone company, which was installed at a considerable expense, was intended as a great convenience for their Oriental subscribers, and, according to Manager Delury, the trouble is the result of an entire misunderstanding of motives. While they have as yet taken no steps to withdraw the new service, it is probable that in the face of such strenuous opposition such a step will be taken, and the plans for the Pekin exchange with Chinese operators, who are even now in training for their new duties, is, it is rumored, to be shelved.

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SAN RAFAEL, Aug. 21.—District Attorney Thomas P. Boyd today received a telegram from Governor Gillett in answer to the one sent to the Governor by him protesting against a pardon for Bradbury.

Boyd's protest to the Governor against the granting of a pardon to Bradbury contained many reasons why the aged millionaire should not escape from serving his one-year sentence in San Quentin. The final point made by Boyd is that a very bad example would be set, and that others would not refrain from committing a like offense, if Bradbury receives the clemency for which he asks.

In the telegram today the Governor stated that he would not act on the plea for a pardon until he had thoroughly investigated the district attorney's protest and the evidence which has been presented.

Bradbury was visited at the jail today by Attorney James W. Cochran and his favorite niece, Miss Lenore Van Sicklen.

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IN VIEW OF JAP STANDPresident Holds Long Confer-
ence With Crane, Then Be-
gins Cabinet Session

(BY WILLIAM HOSTER.)
REVERLY, Mass., Aug. 21.—To Charles R. Crane of Chicago, the new Minister of the United States to China, President Taft this afternoon outlined the policy of this government toward the Chinese Empire. There is particular significance attaching to the first clause of the Taft note, which is the exploitation to which China is now being subjected by Japan. "It is always to be kept in front, the President instructed Minister Crane, the obligation of the United States to help in every way to become independent of other nations."

In addition to this it is to be our policy to combat the idea that it is a good thing to keep a nation in an inferior position in the belief that thereby it will be more profitable to bathe with her. China is to have the advantage of our most considerate friendship. The open door policy is to be insisted upon.

Always to Favor China

While the relations of China and Japan were discussed by the President in outlining the general policy of the United States in the Far East, nothing of the estimate that is placed by the President on the relative value of the friendship of the two nations was made public. It is understood distinctly, however, that this government will always throw its influence in favor of China in every issue where the interests of the United States are concerned. The policy is not now with the President. It is all embodied in the speech that he delivered in Shanghai. But its application just now is significant.

Minister Crane was with the President for half an hour immediately preceding the formal luncheon at the White House. The President was accompanied by Secretary MacVane and Secretary of the Navy MacVane and Secretary of the Treasury MacVane.

Discuss Tariff Experts

One of the matters discussed long and earnestly was the tariff experts that was authorized by the President. It is an open secret now that the President believes he has authority under the provisions of the Tariff Act to put tariff experts to work on any feature of the customs laws that he believes requires investigation.

Not report to Congress. The President knows of no law by which he can be prevented from acting. It is possible to have the experts named and at work early in September or before he departs on his Western trip. Just now he and Secretary MacVane are in deep trouble trying to settle upon the number of experts that shall be named and who shall be named.

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JACK JOHNSON WILL ARRIVE HERE TODAY

NEW YORK WILL COMPETE WITH US FOR PUGILISTIC ATTRACTIONS THIS WINTER

Gotham Promoters Have Wrecked Two Matches
Coffroth Wanted for September Holidays;
Johnson and Berger Will Wrangle

By EDDIE SMITH.

FOR the first time in many years San Francisco is feeling the competition of another city in the matter of securing pugilistic attractions. Los Angeles has always been a sort of an opposition camp, but every time a match was made that was wanted very bad we simply took it away from the southern city by comparing the amounts of money that each city will turn out to boxing contests. A few times it was necessary to outbid them in the matter of purses, but that was comparatively easy sailing.

We have now discovered that New York City will be our keenest rival this winter and there is no use in trying to deny that this fact will rob us of many a fine attraction. New York has it every other city in our great and glorious United States when it comes to grabbing pugilistic attractions, just as it has on everything else, owing to the great number of people the promoters have to draw from, there being more people in one square mile of the Gotham than there are in the three cities surrounding the San Francisco bay.

We are now drawing very near to one of the most important holidays of the year, one which has always divided honors with the national holiday in the matter of pugilistic importance and we can not secure a good attraction to stage on this great money-making day.

Jimmy Coffroth had great ambition to stage a Papke-Ketchel forty-five-round bout here on September 9th, and he would have succeeded had the Fairmont Club officials of New York kept their hands off and not guaranteed Ketchel \$12,000 for his end, win, loss or a draw, for a ten-round contest with Sam Langford. And now that we have developed a new star of some magnitude in Johnnie Frayne, and want the lightweight to meet another local star here on the holiday mentioned, his manager comes forth with a statement that he has been offered \$4000 for two fights in New York City.

New York Great Fight City

New York has always been the greatest fight city in the world, and before the repeal of the Horton law the gate receipts to most any kind of an important fight ran up into many thousands. The largest gate receipts ever taken in at a fight in America were taken in there when Jim Jeffries and Tom Sharkey fought their memorable twenty-five-round battle to a \$66,900 house.

Goldfield tried to get the record by advertising that they took in \$69,715 at the Gans-Nelson fight, but as a matter of fact the receipts did not reach the \$40,000 mark. The next to largest house was taken in at San Francisco when Corbett and Jeffries fought before a \$83,340 house at the Mechanics' Pavilion in San Francisco.

Coffroth would like very much to outbid the New York club and stage Ketchel here, but he simply could not afford to do so with any such a guarantee offered. He would lose money too heavily.

Many Things to Consider

Of course there are other things to be considered in the Langford match as well. Willie Britt is very willing to have Ketchel meet Langford in a ten-round bout, but for a starter he would never allow his charges to fight the colored man any longer route. Had Coffroth any chance to get the bout, he might have made an endeavor to arrange matters so that he could handle it, but even so he admitted the other day that he doubted very much if he would be able to see his way clear to offer any such money as they have in New York.

Willie Britt feels that he can afford to allow Ketchel to take a chance at Langford for ten rounds for the reason that if he is on his feet and fighting strong at the end of ten rounds the race prejudice will give him the best of it, and he will be credited with a win or a draw.

A good draw with Langford would be taken as a great boost for the Johnson-Ketchel fight, and a win from Langford would be the greatest kind of a boost. Langford and Johnson fought fifteen rounds with Johnson getting the decision at the end of the bout, but he did not have so very much the better of the going, so it is taken that if Ketchel can do anything to Langford he will have a chance with Johnson.

Britt feels that for \$12,000 he can take a chance with Langford for the reason that he can judge by the showing Ketchel makes in the light what he will be able to do with the bigger fellow, and besides that, should his fighter get beaten by Johnson he would never get any such money to fight Langford.

If Ketchel and Langford go ten rounds and Britt believes that Ketchel will have a chance in a longer fight he will double the thing up by matching the pair on the coast, so it can be seen that New York will prove a field of competition to us in more ways than one.

Frayne Should Fight Here

In the case of Frayne it seems to the writer that a mistake is being made; that is, providing the Frayne combination feels confident they can beat Lew Powell. Powell has come to the front with rapid strides of late, and right now there are any number of people who believe he would have a royal chance with Nelson.

Should Frayne meet Powell on September 9th, a day on which it is acknowledged the pair would make big money, he would be right in light for a match with Nelson, and the chances are that Coffroth would immediately get into communication with the Battler for a fight for Washington's Birthday or the coming Fourth of July.

Such a chance will not come to Frayne if he goes East very easily, and he is foolish not to take it. The financial end of handling a fighter is not always what is in sight, but what will come in the future. Nevertheless New York has thrown down the bars of competition and we will have to suffer.

Johnson on Way Here

Look out for some boxoffice sauce fight talk next week. Sam Berger is here in our midst and John Johnson will arrive today. When black meets white, or when manager meets fighter there is going to be some very unpleasant things said about one another. Johnson will continue to say that Jeffries is afraid of him, and Berger will, of course, defend the big fellow with all his oratorical ability. Sam will go over history and pick the bad fights that Johnson has made out to taunt him with, and all together the fuss will be a very merry one.

The fans are not very anxious for such stuff, however, what they want is a little talk about fighting. Never mind talking to Johnson about what he has done, just let the talk be about what he is going to do. Jack has shown no inclination to dodge the issue with Jeffries and has in fact gone a bit out of the way to make the match, but we hear nothing but idle talk from the other side. What the fans want is a signing of articles by Jeffries and until such time let the men keep their personalities to themselves. Johnson may yet be matched to go 10 rounds with O'Brien if he does not demand too much money. A ten-round contest between Johnson and O'Brien would set the boys up on their toes, and even though the confessor is in very bad luck here and the fans do not care very much to see him matched it must be admitted that the battle would draw a big house.

A FEW OF THE PRINCIPALS WHO TOOK PART IN THE INVITATIONAL TRACK MEET CONDUCTED BY THE OLYMPIC CLUB AT STADIUM YESTERDAY.



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CHICAGO ATHLETES WIN FIELD MEET AT STADIUM; OLYMPICS, BUT FOUR POINTS BEHIND, SECOND

Ralph Rose Breaks His Own World's Record in Shot Put, but He Disappoints in the Other Events

By EDDIE SMITH.

WE HAD all hoped that the joint invitational track and field meet of the New York Athletic Club, Chicago Athletic Association and Olympic Club held under the direction of the San Francisco organization and arranged by President E. H. Bennett of the local club would be held on one of California's ideal days for athletics. In this we were disappointed for a strong cold wind blew from the west and the sun was clouded during the greater part of the time the meet was going on. The Stadium, and let it be said right here that there are few better in this country, presented a beautiful sight with its green field, numerous flags and visitors from the far east were loud in their praise both of the track and the manner in which the meet was held.

Chicago carried off the honors of the day by scoring 53 points to the Olympics' 49 and New York's 31. Boston, with one man entered received credit for 10 points. The losing of the home team was mostly due to the failure of Ralph Rose, the giant Olympian. Although Rose broke the world's record in the shot put he failed to live up to his past performance in the other events and instead of scoring the twenty or thirty points for the home team that he did at Seattle he only took 12. Rose put the shot a fraction over 41 feet, beating his own past performance and the previous record of 39 feet 10 inches. In the other events he fell down and his failure was one of the deep disappointments of the day.

New Javelin Record

The only other record to be shattered was the javelin throw which was beaten by some five feet by Joe Horner of Chicago. It was announced that the javelin did not correspond with the official requirements, however, and the record may not stand. One true touch of nature was the appearance of a new world's record in the 100-yard dash. W. W. May, Chicago A. A. first, F. W. Hamilton, C. A. A. second, W. P. Sawborn, N. Y. A. C. third, Time, 15.3 seconds.

The Indian could not overtake him and the race seemed a repetition of history where the white has always beaten the Indian with his stride. He is a little fellow and the back stretch was hard traveling for him with the wind full on his chest. He is a well built chunky little fellow and he may have weathered the gale better. The time made was 22.5 seconds. The most popular victory of the day was the winning of John C. Miller of the Olympic Club in the half mile sprint. Glen of New York who won from the Olympian at Seattle, and Miller met in this event, but Miller won easily in 2:02 2-5, two seconds slower than the time he made at Seattle. It may be that Glen suffered from the wind as the Indian did, for he seems none too strong. In the hundred yard dash Ollie Snediger, looked like a sure winner. He was away like a flash and led his field to the seventy-five yard mark when lack of condition made him slow up. He came in last twenty-five yards that were it not a well known fact that he is a stout hearted athlete it might be said that he quit. Hind-Ollie began in condition he would have carried off the event. The summary of the events is as follows:

100-yard dash—W. W. May, Chicago A. A. first; F. W. Hamilton, C. A. A. second; W. P. Sawborn, N. Y. A. C. third. Time, 15.3 seconds.

Half mile—John C. Miller, O. C. first; H. Gissing, N. Y. A. C. second; H. P. Ramon, C. A. A. third. Time, 2:02 2-5.

100-yard high hurdles—A. B. Shaw, C. A. A. first; Ed Beeson, O. C. second. Time, 15.3 seconds.

220-yard dash—W. W. May, C. A. A. first; W. F. Dawborn, N. Y. A. C. second; W. P. Sawborn, N. Y. A. C. third. Time, 21.3 seconds.

220-yard hurdles—Frank Waller, C. A. A. first; A. B. Shaw, C. A. A. second; Ed Beeson, O. C. third. Time 24.5 seconds.

McCarey's Offer for Championship Fight Pleases Jack Johnson

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 21.—The Jack Johnson party, consisting of the black champion, his manager, G. W. Little, and their wives, departed tonight for San Francisco. Los Angeles sports men remember Jack mostly for his big diamonds and his automobile talk.

Johnson and Little were closeted in close conversation with Promoter McCarey for over an hour today. When the door to the promoter's private office was finally opened Jack walked out and seated himself in an easy chair long enough to make the following direct statements to the waiting newspaper men:

"I have assured Mr. McCarey that I am willing to fight Jeffries in Los Angeles. So far as I am concerned the Los Angeles bid for the Johnson-Jeffries battle will be received with a great deal of consideration."

"I have agreed to make one fight for Mr. McCarey between now and October 1. I do not care who he picks as my opponent, Jim Barry or anyone else will do. Mr. McCarey has my prices."

"I will stay close around San Francisco and Los Angeles during the next few weeks. After meeting Ketchel at Colma, October 12, I will go to New York, where I have one week to ill at Hammett's. I also have one or two other short theatrical engagements in the East."

"Yes, I will allow Langford to be substituted for Ketchel against me, in case Sam whips Ketchel. I will want the same money; though, that I am to receive for fighting Britt's man."

"I figure to sail for London about November 1. Jeffries? Oh, I have honestly given up hope that he will fight me."

"I have two engagements as a professional automobile racer. I am to receive \$2500 for driving one race in San Francisco during Potomac week and the Territorial Fair Association has a promise cut for me to race at Phoenix."

(Moss, Garner, Craig, Miller), third. Time, 2:32.

16-pound shot put—Ralph Rose, O. C. first; Russell Lawrence, N. Y. A. C. second; Joe Horner, C. A. A. third. Distance, 51 feet, 3-4 inch.

High jump—David Martin, O. C. first; Con Leahy, N. Y. A. C. second; J. L. Miller, C. A. A. third. Height, 6 feet 1-8 inch.

55-pound weight—James Mitchell, N. Y. A. C. first; Ralph Rose, O. C. second; A. D. Plaw, O. C. third. Distance, 31 feet, 9-12 inches.

Broad jump—O. F. Snediger, O. C. first; J. Irona, C. A. A. second; Orval Baumhough, O. C. third. Distance, 22 feet 3-12 inches.

Discus throw—Joe Horner, C. A. A. first; Russell Lawrence, N. Y. A. C. second; Ralph Rose, O. C. third. Distance, 431 feet 3-12 inches.

Javelin throw—Joe Horner, C. A. A. first; O. F. Snediger, O. C. second; Russell Lawrence, N. Y. A. C. third. Distance, 149 feet.

Hammer throw—A. D. Plaw, O. C. first; Ralph Rose, O. C. second; Joe Horner, C. A. A. third. Distance, 135 feet 1 inch.

Hop, skip and jump—Con Leahy, N. Y. A. C. first; O. F. Snediger, O. C. second; Joe Horner, C. A. A. third. Distance, 43 feet 5 inches.

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JACK JOHNSON, DUE TODAY, SAYS HE'LL HAVE NO TROUBLE WINNING FROM KETCHEL OR JIM JEFFRIES.

'Confessor' O'Brien Now Declares He Did Not Come Here Expressly to Fight, but Is on a Junketing Trip

By W. W. NAUGHTON.

HE is not arrested for speeding in the meantime, Jack Johnson will put in an appearance in San Francisco some time today. He has telegraphed friends to meet him at San Jose, and he has told the sporting news gathings along the way that soon after he reaches here he will settle down to training for his October fight with Stanley Ketchel.

While in Salt Lake recently Jack talked fluently of his plans and hopes. He paid his respects to both Ketchel and Jeffries, and said he would have no trouble in disposing of the both of them.

In respect to Jeffries, however, Johnson seemed to be worried with the thought that the meeting had been so much talked about will never come to pass. Johnson said: "I will be ready to meet Mr. Jeffries within a month or perhaps two weeks after the Ketchel match, and the sooner the better. Of course, you may doubt that statement, but I think that my actions prove that I'm eager for the test."

Jeffries, signed reasonable articles, have posted the \$5000 side bet, have agreed to divide the purse, 60 and 40 65 and 35, or winner take all. I have agreed to any number of rounds, and am willing to fight anywhere in the world, before any competent referee. I don't know what more can be asked of me. For a long time I thought Jeffries would fight, but a few days before he sailed for Europe I changed my mind. It was when I telegraphed him to wait in New York for me so that we could talk things over. I got a reply saying he would cable his terms as soon as he landed, but I have not got them yet."

Johnson Sure of Victory

This is a bit of information that is brand new, so far as San Francisco is concerned, and it may in a way account for Jeffries' inactivity when he heard on his arrival in England that Jim thought Johnson should have waited for him to cable his terms.

When asked what he thought of his chances of defeating Jeffries, in case all difficulties were smoothed over, Johnson replied: "I see no other possible outcome than that I will win. The last time I saw Jeffries he looked fat and was evidently in poor condition, even after months of work. Every round the fight goes I will be better off, and I will be a winner from the first. I am not figuring on the Jeffries of old, but even with him at his best I would be confident of winning."

Does Not Fear Ketchel

Johnson said his choice of a battleground is San Francisco. "Will Ketchel give you any trouble?" asked the interviewer.

"Well, for about six or seven rounds he may bother me a little," said Johnson. "I will, of course, follow my rule of fighting slowly and taking my time. Many a good man has lost out by overconfidence and trying to finish the fight against me. Then, again, there is no man living who can force me in no better shape. He cannot be gamier or more clever, and he will go the way Burns went."

From the foregoing it will appear that Johnson does not think that his championship crown is in jeopardy.

O'Brien Merely Sojourning

Stanley Ketchel is due in the city from Point Arena today, and if he follows the plan mapped out for him by Manager William Britt he will take the first train for New York, where he is to box Sam Langford on some September date yet to be fixed.

Ketchel, according to all accounts, has derived much benefit from his sojourn in the Maine mountains. Making Johnny McCullum's Point Arena Hot Springs his base of supplies, he has sailed forth many times in quest of steelheads and deer and has found the region he spent his vacation a real hunter's paradise. For weeks of the time he has been away Ketchel slept under the stars on top of Signal Ridge. It was there that Britt found him, while the Michiganian loves fighting for fighting's sake, he did not relish the idea of breaking up his holidays for a contest with Langford or anyone else.

Ketchel Takes on Weight

According to Britt, Ketchel has earned the credit of killing the biggest deer that has been brought down in the Point Arena section in many years. He has put that weight on for Johnson, and he's not going to pull it off for Langford. It mightn't come back, you know.

As Ketchel seems to be determined in the respect mentioned, it is likely that the Fairmont Club of New York will induce Langford to waive all weight restrictions.

Ketchel is Due Today

Philadelphia Jack O'Brien is still in the city, but seems to have abandoned his intention of looking for matches here. O'Brien says, in fact, that he did not come here for the express purpose of seeking employment, but that San Francisco, in this particular instance, merely happened to be on the route of a junketing-trip that he is taking in company with friends and relatives. It was O'Brien's intention to leave to Seattle yesterday, but he has changed his plans and will await the arrival of members of his party from Los Angeles.

"We are going to Seattle and then back home," said O'Brien. "I do not know whether I'll figure in any matches back East in the near future but the chances are I will. It was willing enough to box Kaufman, Johnson or anyone else out this way, but it seems to me that in every match that was mentioned I would have been permitted to have my own voice in the arrangement. I am free to confess that I like the six-round game better than any other style of match, and I will be able to command rates of that character in the East whenever I want to. I have proved a good drawing card for the promoters back yonder, as the receipts at my bouts with Ketchel and Johnson will show."

ANACONDA RESULTS

First race—Four and one-half furlongs; purse, 2-year-olds: Yuba, 1 to 5, 3 to 4 and 2 to 1; won. Ray to Towar, 2 to 1 and 4 to 3, second; Dave Montgomery, 2 to 1, third.

Second race—Five and one-half furlongs; selling; 3-year-olds and up. Moss, 10 to 1, 4 to 1 and 2 to 1; won. Bryan, 4 to 5 and 1 to 2, second; Mimie's Daughter, 2 to 1, third.

Third race—Five and one-half furlongs; selling; 2-year-olds and up. Fannell Hall, 7 to 5, 2 to 1 and 1 to 5, won; Burning Bush, 2 to 1 and even, second; Charles Doherty, 1 to 2, third.

Fourth race—Five furlongs; selling; 2-year-olds and up. Sevenfold, 3 to 1, won; Hannah Louise, 8 to 5, second; Gelves, out, third.

Fifth race—One mile; selling; 2-year-olds and up. Swede Sam, 1 to 1, 4 to 1 and 8 to 5, won; Voltmore, 2 to 1 and even, second; Jillett, even, third.

FOREIGN RACES

HURSTPARK, Eng., Aug. 21.—The 2-year-old selling plate of 200 sovereigns, 5 furlongs, was won by Magneto today; Winged Fancy won Woodstock; Wild third; H. B. Duryea's Armory was among the starters.

The championship sprint handicap of 400 sovereigns for 2 years and up, 5 furlongs, was won by H. B. Duryea's Med-

RENO RESULTS

Second race, four and one-half furlongs; selling; two-year-olds—Billy Bard, 3 to 5, 3 to 1 and out won; Wicket, 1 to 2, second; Governor Kyle, third.

LAJOIE GIVES WAY TO THOMAS MAGUIRE

CLEVELAND, Aug. 21.—Thomas Maguire was today appointed manager of the Cleveland American League team to succeed Fred Lohle. Maguire will take charge of the team next Wednesday.

The announcement of Maguire's appointment was made by Secretary W. L. Leonard of the Cleveland team at the beginning of the game this afternoon.

August Belmont's Princeton failed to secure a place.

The maiden 2-year-old plate of 105 sovereigns, distance 5 furlongs, was won by H. P. Whitney's Handspan today. The Tathwell Lassie colt was second and Amadeus third. Eleven horses started.

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terest 7 per cent net. Percy L. Ellis,
465 11th st.

LAY AND CONTRACT WORK

kind roofs repaired or painted.
Liman, 506 E. 12th: dunn postal cert.

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AAA—RELIABLE help. Qlntent Emp. Ags.

ENTER work of all kinds; west
 2nd card. J. Filibrant, 529 8th st.
 BLE and granite monuments, large
 artistic stock; marble interior work.
 Dinspen, prop., show room 717 7th
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 FOR all kinds of reliable help call A-1544
 or Oakland 8940. O. HUDSON employ-
 ment Agency, Suite 24, 855 Broadway.
 JAPANESE employment and house-cleaning
 office, 818 7th; phone Oakland 3916.

RENOVATORIES

JAPANESE Renovating Co., 814 Telegraph ave., near 25th. First-class dyeing and cleaning; hats cleaned and blocked. Phone Oakland 3554.

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HOUSES FOR SALE
(Continued)

DON'T miss this chance; will sacrifice \$12,000 place if taken at once, let 150; large house; garage, lawn beautifully laid out; above 'oggs and sheltered from wind; an ideal home, admirably located for a convalescent home or sanitarium, or could be made into flats at very little expense; E. Oakland; mortgage of \$,000 can stay. Make offer. Phone Merritt 2810.

OR SALE—Cottage 5 room and floored attic, which is finished to 3 rooms; hall, room, private; furnished; 100 foot lot with drive; new; 104 Rio Vista ave. Route; own.

DR sale, new cottage, 4 rooms and bath, 60x155, street sewerage and macadamized; one-half block from station. Price \$2250 for quick sale. Also light wagon and harness, \$25. Apply 40 Putnam st., near 40th ave., Fruitvale.

DR SALE—A 9-room house in fine neighborhood on 8th ave., close in; if you want a nice home in a good neighborhood, convenient to school, churches, car lines, and only 5 minutes from Broadway, see R. Welch & Co., 5th ave. and E. 18th.

FOR SALE—Almost new, well built house with all modern improvements; 8 bedrooms; full bath; central heating; large kitchen; full second floor; convenient to schools and shopping. Price \$57,500. Call 441-5555. **NO AGENTS.**

FOR SALE—Modern 4-room bungalow; china closet, brick mantel, etc. Call 351-8X125; price \$197.; \$200 down. Call 441-5555. **NO AGENTS.**

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structurally modern, high corner, on c
line. Am going away; must sell. \$265
Call Sunday 647 E. 21st st.

BR SALE—At Brookdale, furnished
bungalow four rooms, bath, porch.
Owner; grounds thickly wooded. Address
Box 7687, Tribune.

BR SALE—Bargain; 5-room cottage
furn. removed; located near 20th cr.
West. Phone Oakland 9056.

URNISHED house of 5 rooms for sale
69 6th st.

Must Be Sold
I go to Los Angeles Sept. 1st, four
bungalow on 35x190 lot, on pretti-
est in good neighborhood; gas, elec-
tricity and best of plumbing; lawn
flowers; 10x20, two-room electric-light
house; 10x35 wire-enclosed chicken

...as, garden, etc.; nice. House beautiful
...by day work; nice porch, reception
...paneled dining room with beam ceiling
...and built-in buffet; bath, screen
...ch, buffet kitchen; den, window-seat
...t-in desk, etc.; and all for \$2250
...t cash, bal. mortgage. Room for two
...houses on lot. See this at once and
...ke offer, as I am going to sell un
...s the biggest snap on the market to
...owner, 1918 Mulberry st., Alameda
...me Alameda 2704.

OLD FIVE-ROOM BUNGALOW.
Beamed ceilings, panelled walls and
glazed window seats in living and
dining-rooms. Large brick fire place and
cabinet kitchen. Near Key Route and
grove street cars. Owner on premises.
\$3 55th st. Sundays 1 to 5. C. C.
Overett, 2118 Grove st., Berkeley.

Particulars	Address	Box
EST self swell new home, 5 rooms cell location; block to car and Key out station. Lot 40x135. Price \$3650 terms made. Interest 5 per cent. R Smith, 1614 Broadway, room 2.		
ERN 5-room and bath cottage, high ement. Lot 35x140. Reasonable. terms. 1744 11th ave., on car line.		
ERN 5-room cottage, \$2300 cash or rms, 1/2 block car line, 3 blocks from		

Y \$100 down will buy this nearly new
ave. of 6 rooms

y complete fishing, odu, large lot, etc.
 y complete little place in Fruitvale.
 me tell you more about t. Geo. W.
 adn, 1018 Broadway, Oakland.
 MONT-214 Pacific ave. 3 blocks
 entrance to Piedmont Park. A
 v 7-room house, 2 toilets, 2 fire-
 escapes, Pittsburgh water heater, every-
 thing up to date, unsubstituted view;
 37x140. \$7000, terms. Owner living
 premises.
 RAINY DAYS-NEW HOME.
 most timely, though not the

Therefore, one and all are invited to inspect two 20th Century, high-based cottage homes, in the warm belt, 2 miles to a business center, a Key terminal, etc., with a piazza porch, automatic hot water heating system, a d of convenience in a kitchen cabinet sanitary plumbing open fire (so dear to the hearts of an American). Total price a trifle—and terms if desired, or a good lot 1st payment; No. 67 and No. 69. In

DOLCOMB REALTY COMPANY,
(Investor of Capital),
306 San Pablo Ave.,
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OFFICE Sale—I have very nice 7-a house, lot 50x100, with 2-room in rear. Can't rent it, so will almost your own price and terms. Press box 7092, Tribune.

COGM cottage, bath; no mortgage; 50x133; near Key Route and car line; **erate price.** 1926 Union st.

Will Build Houses
your plans on terms. The Wright

Wright Co., 416-418 First National Bank Bldg.

Large lot. On car line 15 min-
to Broadway, 5 minutes to local
If preferred will build to suit on
terms. Come out Sunday or
appointment to suit yourself. Take
nd car at 13th and Broadway to
25th street. J. E. Williamson,
4th avenue. Phone Merritt 3014.

NEW RINGALOW of 5 rooms and
tion hall, bath and laundry; thor-
y well built by the **OWLER**. Per-
arranged; you will like the ar-
ment very much.

0. Modern flats 5 and 6 rooms, driveway, near cars and Key Terms or take part exchange

KITCHEN-ROOM cottage, newly finished
7 foot basement; sunny side,
lot, 50x150, at 764 E. 14th st.; con-
sult to S. P. trains; large yrd, fruit
alley driveway. Apply owner,
Washington st., Physicians' Bldg.,
206. Phone Oakland 6787

payments like rent; or will
equity for lot. An artistic 5-
bungalow, well built, convenient
and Key Route. GEO. H. A.
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SALES OF STOCK IN WALL STREET

(BY THOMAS C. SHOTWELL.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Having sold at
wards with the best quality of bear grass
the Morgan-Hartman engineers started
prosperity special today for another flight in
the unknown region of higher prices. See

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	High.	Low.	Mid.	Ave.
1000 Am Allis-Chalmers	100	98	99	99
1000 Am D. D. D.	100	98	99	99
1000 Am Anaconda Copper	88 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2	87
1000 Am B. & O.	45	44 1/2	44 3/4	44 3/4
1000 Am D. D. D.	88	86 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
1000 Am Can. Co.	122	120 1/2	121 1/2	121 1/2
1000 Am D. D. D.	87 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2	87 1/2
200 Am Cotton Oil	78 1/2	78	78 1/2	78 1/2
1000 Am D. D. D.	118	116	117	117
900 Am Ice Securities	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
100 Am L. S. S.	10	10	10	10
100 Am L. S. S.	10	10	10	10
2000 Am L. S. S.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
1000 Am L. S. S.	118	117 1/2	118	117 1/2
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100 Am L. S. S.	118	117 1/2	118	117 1/2
400 Am L. S. S.	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2

100	Am Woollen.	84%	86%	54%	80	141
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400	Am prd	40	40	104	104	106
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13200	Atlantic C Lne	37%	38%	137	138	138
13200	A T & Santa Fe	118%	116%	110	110	116
1000	B & O.	118%	117	118	118	116
200	Do prd	80	80	83	84	84
11000	Brooklyn P. W.	81%	80	81	81	81
2000	Central N. E.	198%	154%	194	181	181
4500	Chaspek & Ohio.	81%	80%	81%	81	81
1000	Chicago & N. W.	60	60	63	63	63
200	Do prd	80	80	80	80	80
4000	C. & O.	100%	100%	100	100	100
12800	C. R. & S. F.	169	153%	164	165	165
1700	Do prd	30	30	37	37	37
100	Central Leather.	40%	38%	30	30	30
100	Central N. E.	1	1	800	135	178
100	Do prd	80	80	80	80	80
100	Central N. E.	1	1	800	135	178
100	Do prd	80	80	80	80	80
100	C. O. & S. L.	1	1	76	76	76
2800	C. O. & S. L.	45	48%	107	109	109
800	Do prd	45	48%	107	109	109
800	C. O. & S. L.	11%	71%	82	82	82
100	Colo Southern.	11%	71%	82	82	82

	Do last prd.	..	..	81%	82
1508	Comsol'd. prd.	..	..	81%	81
..	..	..	..	81%	82
..	Corn Products	23%	23	23%	24
..	..	..	..	85%	86
..	Del. A. Hut.	..	..	58%	58
..	D. L. & W.	..	..	..	..
..	..	..	..	500	500
600	Do prd.	36	36	68%	67
600	Do prd.	..	..	..	..
600	Dietlth Securities	26%	26	85%	85
..	..	..	..	85%	88
..	..	..	..	88	88
..	Do prd.	..	..	18%	18
4900	Brie last prd.	26%	25%	83%	83
..	..	..	..	83%	84
1000	Do 3d prd.	54%	53%	54%	54
..	..	..	..	54%	54
600	Gen Electric	108%	107	108%	108
..	..	..	..	82	82
..	Do prd.	108%	108	108%	108
4290	..	..	..	..	..
..	Hawala Tob. Co.	..	..	10	12
..	..	..	..	10	12
..	Do prd.	..	..	..	..
500	Illinois Central	167%	166%	167	167
..	..	..	..	167	167
..	Indepor-Met	10%	10%	0%	16
..	..	..	..	47%	48
..	Latul prd.	45%	47%	47%	48
..	..	..	..	47%	48
..	Do prd.	..	..	95%	97
..	Indep. Camp.	63%	61	62	63
..	..	..	..	67	67
..	Iowa Central	..	..	30%	30
..	..	..	..	86%	86
2900	K. C. Southern	46%	45%	..	..

200	Do prd.			74	76
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1700	Louis & Nash.	100%	100%	100%	100%
	Mayak			80	88
100	Mex Central.	28%	28%	18	28
	Mfin & Btl.			54	56
	Do prd.			56	88
100	M & S R & SSM.	45%	148%	145%	145%
	Do prd.			140	148
1630	M & S R & SSM.	41%	46%	140	148
1000	M & S Pacific	78%	72%	78	74
2000	National Road.	33%		33	33
	Do prd.			111	114
	National Biscuit.			105	108
	N & A Central.			91	92
	N & Y Central.	48	141	152	142%
	N O & SCL.			155	57
	N & W.			106	106
	Do 22 prd.			88	80
	NY NE & Hld.			79	171
700	N & W.	49	48%	48%	48%
600	N & W Western.	84	82%	84%	84%
	Do prd.			86	90
	N & W prd.	94	88%	94	94
	N & W prd.	66	62%	66	66
7800	No Pacific	107	105%	105%	101%
	Omaha			100	141

100	Pacific Coast			85	100
100	Pacific Mail	92%	82%	82%	100
100	Pacific Telephone	92%	142%	82%	100
400	People's Gas	116%	116%	116%	113%
100	Pittsburg Coal	24%	194%	22%	23
100	Pittsburg Coal	87%	87%	87	87
	P. C. C. & S. L.			90	92
	Do pfd			110	117
60	P. F. R.	70%	48%	48	60
200	Do pfd	176%	107	107	200
800	Pt. St. Louis Spring	50%	50	50	81
1000	Brading	350%	158%	100%	1000
7000	Do 1st pfd	130%	95%	88%	70
990	Do 2d pfd	100%	100	100	99
990	Republic S. & F.	87%	87%	87	99
1000	Do pfd	100%	100	100	1000
1000	Do 2d pfd	100%	100	100	1000
1400	Do pfd	77%	77	77	140
	Riova-Sherfield			85	85
	Do 1st pfd			110	110
	S. L. & F. 1st pfd			71	71
	Do 2d pfd			55	55
200	S. P. R.	21	20%	20	20
400	Do pfd	105%	64%	68%	67
3500	Southern Pacific	161%	334%	344%	344%
1000	Do 1st pfd	100%	100	100	1000
1000	Do pfd	1%	70%	73%	71
1000	Tenn Copper	94%	70	73	73
1000	Do 1st pfd	94%	70	73	73

200	Third Avenue...	4%	23%	23%	24%
100	Tulane St & W...	51	60	60	70
...	Union City & E...	107	106	106	106
...	Dwain B & P...	...	22%	14	14
...	Union Pacific...	205	206	206	206
100	To p'd...	106%	104	104	106%
...	Do p'd...	...	89	89	89
...	U S Steel Pipe...	72%	32%	32%	38%
...	U S Rubber...	...	93%	93%	93%
300	U S Steel...	118	116%	116%	113%
...	Do p'd...	...	86	86	86
100	U S Steel Corp...	75%	70%	70%	78%
...	To p'd...	124%	125	125	125%
...	Do p'd...	...	47%	47%	48%
300	Van-Nor Chem Co	47%	7%	120	122%
...	Do p'd...	...	20%	20%	20%
...	Do p'd...	5%	53%	54%	54%
300	Western Union...	74%	73%	73%	74%
...	Do p'd...	...	87%	87	87
700	W & L E...	8	7%	8	8%
...	Do p'd...	...	10%	10	10
100	Wis Central...	...	69%	69	61
...	Do p'd...	...	64%	61	61

500	Do prfd	4 1/4	40 1/4	60 1/4	42 1/4
	Do beluhen Steel	3 1/4	32 1/4	40 1/4	38 1/4
	Do prfd			60 1/4	54 1/4
200	Enamel & S.			17	17 1/2
	Do prfd			80	85
	Do S Realty			42 1/2	45
500	Western Ltd	1 1/4	5	5	5 1/2
	Western Pac			28	30

Total shares sold, 520,750; bonds, \$1,910,000.

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